

GENERAL'S ARE NEGOTIATING FOR AN ARMISTICE

Headquarters of the Russian Army, Godzyadani, Manchuria, June 17.—It is learned from an authoritative source that negotiations toward an armistice are under way.

BLACKMAIL IS THE CHARGE

Chicago Grand Jury Has Secured Some Important Evidence.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Admission is made by States Attorney Healy that the Grand Jurors have found important evidence apparently corroborating the report that the strike is partly, at least, the result of a conspiracy directed against the firm of Montgomery, Ward & Company, by other employers and by labor leaders, involving the payment of \$30,000 in installments of \$10,000 and \$20,000.

If an indictment is voted as a result the alleged conspirators are likely to be charged with being responsible for one or more murders growing out of attacks of so-called "wrecking crews."

A demand for the settlement of the teamsters' strike is expected to be framed before night at a meeting of anti-Sheaf delegates in the teamsters' joint council. Several leaders of the drivers are alleged to have broken away from the strike leader, President Shea, and arranged a caucus at which they plan to canvass the situation and to secure pledges enough for the calling off of the strike, and to go before the teamsters' joint council Monday with the assurances of success.

Hugh McGee, formerly one of the chief lieutenants of Shea, openly advocated peace today.

The question of financing the strike has become more and more a burden. To pay the strike benefits and other expenses requires \$30,000 a week. Since the Grand Jury investigation the shrinkage, it is alleged, has been large.

FIRE IS CAUSE OF A PANIC

Flames in the Hold of Steamer—Passengers Frightened.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Fire which started in the hold of the steamer Kansas City of the Savannah line while she was making her way through the dense fog off Sandy Hook early today, and caused a panic among her three score passengers, and which was believed to have been extinguished, broke out anew after she had reached her dock.

When the hatches were removed, after the hold had been filled with steam for several hours, the flames burst forth, and resisted every effort the combined land and water fire-fighters could make to subdue them.

Late this afternoon the fire was still smoldering obstinately in the hold, and tons of water was being poured down upon it. Far down in the bottom of the hold there is stored a large quantity of resin and turpentine.

It is feared that if the flames reach this inflammable material a serious explosion may follow.

Several thousands of watermelons which were stored in the hold, have been destroyed by the heat, and the cargo of cotton has been considerably damaged.

NEWARK MYSTERY IS SOLVED



G. A. Wiese, Former City Electrician of Alameda Was the Ferryboat Suicide.

ALAMEDA, June 17.—The mystery of the pistol shot fired on the ferry steamer Newark on its trip to the city on Wednesday night, with the spattered blood on the deck which pointed to a grim tragedy on the bay waters, has been solved, in the opinion of the local police department, and circumstantial evidence of conclusive character goes to show that the unfortunate victim was Gustave Adolf Wiese, former City Electrician of Alameda, who ended his life in a tragic manner by firing a pistol shot into his body, and then leaping into the darkness of the bay waters.

HEART SICK. Temporarily out of employment, and heart sick from the grief he had ever had with him on account of the death of his wife, Electrician Wiese no doubt decided to make away with himself and to make the job certain first fired a shot into his body and then leaped into the bay waters.

LOST POSITION.

Last September the former City Electrician was seriously ill. About the same time he clashed with one or two members of the Board of City Trustees, and this resulted in a demand for his resignation. He was very highly regarded here, and was considered one of the best electricians on the coast, but the Trustees forced him to retire. All the while his wife's death had occasioned a grief which was wearing his heart out. When he left his position here he readily secured employment, and latterly had been connected in a responsible capacity with the Bay Counties Power Company, of which his old friend John Martin is president, at Electra, Alameda county. About two weeks ago, it is stated, he lost this position, but had prospects of other lucrative employments.

Last Sunday he had with him, here and across the bay, his two little boys, Aya and Ernest, of whom he was very proud, the children having been taken for a holiday from the Masonic Orphans' Home at Decoto, where he had placed them several months ago. On that day Wiese appeared to the friends he met to be in a cheerful mood.

He had let his cottage on Regent street, but, on Wednesday, he came to this city on Wednesday and said a last farewell to the little cottage at 1379 Regent street, where he had lived so happily with his wife until her death over a year ago, a loss which always preyed upon his mind. He was accompanied by an electrician living in Oakland, and later he again made the short night in Oakland to the

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LEAPS TO HIS DEATH

Climbs on Top of House and Jumps Into Space.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—Thos. Costello, an iron moulder, plunged to his death today from the roof of a three-story building at 839 Greenwich street. He was seen to climb to the top of the house with the deliberate purpose of committing suicide.

An alarm was given, but before anyone could restrain him he threw himself headfirst into space. His lifeless body was picked up in a basket by relatives.

Costello, who was temporarily crazed, jumped into the bay last night with the intention of ending his life, but changed his mind and swam ashore. In his wet clothing he went to the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ellen McDonald, of 719½ Lombard street, who supplied him with dry garments.

He was then taken to the home of an aunt, Mrs. B. Fitzpatrick, who lives next door to the house from which Costello jumped.

Nearly every bone in Costello's body was broken by the fall. He was 32 years of age.

GERMANY SURE OF POSITION

Uses Positive Tone to Russia, France and England.

BERLIN, June 17.—So fully do the German ministers feel the strength of Germany's military and political position in the Morocco situation that the cautious, circumspect policy of the recent years has been replaced by a more definite positive tone toward Russia, toward France and toward Great Britain also. The spirit of confidence in the army runs immeasurably high. The young officers long for war. That is the constant talk in the regimental casinos.

The foreign attaches here have recognized the change in the bearing of the German officers since Russia has been inextricably involved in the Far East in that its conviction of the perfection of the German military machine is expressed with deeper and quiet assurances.

The sentiments of the military body are not likely to influence the Emperor and Prince von Bismarck, but they are extremely interesting and to those confident opinions, expressed perhaps somewhat boastfully, are probably due the rumors of Germany's military designs.

A foreign officer said to the correspondent of the "Associated Press" today that although it is a favorite utterance of the German officer that Germany is always ready for war, and that nothing could be done today that is not already done, except actual mobilization, yet the new rifle has now been issued to all the army while entire regiments of rifles are in the old model of 1888, so that if Germany were at war today she would be using an antiquated weapon.

This foreign officer also said that the German and French governments are to meet in Paris on the 24th, twenty-one twenty-two, but that the rearmament of the artillery was going forward fast.

The correspondent inquired why the German officers should be so confident.

SHOT BY A DRIVER

CHICAGO, June 17.—Frank Davis, seventeen years old, was shot and probably fatally wounded today by the driver of an American Express Company's wagon. The driver, a Negro, was shot and attacked by a crowd just before the shooting. After the shooting the mob fled. The driver surrendered at a police station.

OFFICIALS ARRIVE IN RENO

Irrigation Party and Guests Given a Welcome.

RENO, Nev., June 17.—The train bearing the Congressional Irrigation Committee and guests arrived here this morning at 8 o'clock. It was met by hundreds of Reno people eager to give a hearty welcome to the men who represent the Government in the great work of reclamation. In addition to the regular party the following men were taken to Hazen on the special:

Governor George C. Pardee, of California; Senator Frank P. Flint, Governor John Sparks, of Nevada; Senator George S. Nixon, Dr. J. E. Stubbs, D. W. O'Connor, E. R. Dodge, R. L. Fulton, A. H. Rising, John Smith, C. S. Fee, T. H. Goodman, James Horrington Jr., General W. S. Greene, E. A. Briggs, Prof. E. J. Wickson, L. G. Shinnard, Prof. Leroy Anderson, J. B. Lipincott, Hamilton Wright and G. Friedlander.

At this point a car containing a number of the prominent citizens of the State was attached to the special, and after a short stop here, the journey was resumed.

The big diverting dam on the Truckee, about twenty miles east of here, where the main canal begins, was the first objective point. There the party was taken in charge by Engineer L. H. Taylor, who has represented the Government throughout the entire work. The gates of the dam were lowered, and those of the canal were raised. The great flood poured into the huge ditch. The reclamation project in Nevada was formally dedicated. When the gates of the dam were lowered the bed below was dry in an instant, and the party derived sport from catching the large Truckee river trout.

The committee was highly satisfied with the work that had been accomplished. Some of the members admitted that they had never realized the extent of the work until they saw that great ditch with its dams and tunnels and laterals covering over thirty-one miles of country.

The party will return to Reno at six o'clock this evening. A banquet will be tendered the gentlemen and a reception has been arranged for the ladies who are traveling with the committee.

APPOINTED TO VACANCY

WASHINGTON, June 17.—After a conference with President Roosevelt today Attorney-General Moody announced that it had been decided to appoint Judge W. C. Cotton of Portland, Ore., to the vacancy on the United States District Court bench, caused by the death of Judge Charles B. Bellinger of the district of Oregon. Judge Cotton will not be required to qualify until September 1, as he has some important cases to close before entering upon his new duties.

It is expected that Judge Cotton will sit in the land fraud cases which have been instituted by the Government in Oregon. Judge De Haven of California has already been assigned to the trial of those cases by Presiding Judge Gilbert of that circuit.

PHIL KOHN AND PARTY EN ROUTE TO FAIR

Phil A. Kohn, connected with the Denver Rio Grande Railroad, his wife, and niece, Miss May Greenwell of Ogden, Utah, have arrived at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, where they will be located for a few days while visiting the parents of Mr. Kohn in Oakland. The party is en route to the Exposition at Portland and will make a visit to many of the points of interest in the city. Mr. Kohn is a well known official of the Rio Grande Road and has many friends in railroad circles.

CAPTURE MADE BY RUSSIANS

Ammunition and Rations Are Short With Japanese.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—General Linnetch, in a dispatch to the Emperor, says the Russian force in the valley of the Tsin river, which was announced yesterday, advanced to the village of Vanlungow, pushing back the Japanese advance posts and captured several Japanese dragons.

The latter reported that provisions and cartridges were lacking among the Japanese troops and that the rations of rice had been reduced by order of the commanders.

On June 16 General Linnetch telegraphed:

"Westward of the railroad this morning the Japanese attacked the Russian advance posts. One of our posts, southward of Falitoun, was ousted by two companies of Japanese."

SANTA FE IS UNDER INQUIRY

President to Make Statement on Rebate Case.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—A long conference was held at the White House today, the President, Secretary Morton and Attorney-General Moody being the participants. The conference related to the Santa Fe railroad rebate cases, which have been pending before the Department of Justice for several months. Secretary Moody is brought into the case by his admission on the witness stand that when he was a vice-president of the Santa Fe he was bound that the skirts of the court would be kept clear of it, and that if there was any blame that it should be placed where it belongs.

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In that event the mutation of the ticket was an act whereby \$7,500 was wiped out of existence.

Chief of Police Hodgkins, in whose custody the winning ticket has been admitted today, that he had made a mistake in permitting the agents of the lottery to inspect the ticket.

The Chief says:

"Two men came to me representing that they were agents of the Louisiana lottery. They requested permission to cancel the ticket and I consented. Instead of cancelling the ticket they tore the number off. I at once realized that I had made a mistake and asked them to write the word cancelled on the face of the ticket. They did this."

"This is the only connection I had with the case. I am in error as far as permitting the agents to look at the ticket."

BIG RAIL MILL TO BE CONSTRUCTED

PITTSBURG, June 17.—Plans are being prepared by the Carnegie Steel Company for the erection this fall of a mammoth rail mill as an addition to the Edgar Thomson steel works at Braddock. The plan will cost approximately \$1,000,000 and more than double the capacity of the present rail mill.

MRS. BRYAN SAILS FOR EUROPE

NEW YORK, June 17.—Mrs. William J. Bryan and Miss Bryan sailed for Europe today on the steamer "Vanderbilt."

DESTROY WINNING TICKET

Charges Made By Prosecutor Leach to Be Investigated.

Prosecuting Attorney Leach this morning caused a mild sensation in Police Judge Smith's court by refusing to proceed in the search warrant proceedings involving the ownership of a lottery ticket calling for a prize of \$7,500 which was taken from Joseph Perry, a saloon man, who is accused of having acted as an agent of the lottery company.

The basis of Mr. Leach's refusal was that the ticket had been mutilated, in that the numbers had been torn off, so that the ticket was useless as far as prize-winning was concerned.

"May it please this court," said Mr. Leach, hotly, "if there is any way of finding out who mutilated that ticket while it was in the possession of the police I propose to find out. If there was any one who got money for doing so for destroying that ticket—I wish it to be known. Those tickets were in the possession of the police as evidence, and there was not a person supposed to touch those tickets unless an order was given by this court."

"You will notice that across the face of the ticket, the word 'cancelled' has been written by an agent of the company. I want that agent subpoenaed in order to ask him who gave him the authority to mutilate that ticket. You will observe, your honor, that the ticket was singled out and destroyed from a number. It was destroyed without the order of this court after it had won a prize."

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Cures Nervous Disorders.

Headache, Insomnia, Exhaustion and Restlessness. Rebuilds the nervous system.

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CAN HAVE THE PAPER SENT TO THEM IN THE COUNTRY DURING VACATION WITHOUT EXTRA CHARGE. TELEPHONE TO EXCHANGE 9 OR DIAL A POSTAL TO THE TRIBUNE OFFICE, GIVING PRESENT ADDRESS AND THE POSTOFFICE TO WHICH YOU DESIRE THE PAPER MAILED.

F. W. LEAVITT SAYS STANDARD MACHINE FAILS ON VITAL POINTS.

Why the Dean is Superior and Meets All the Requirements of the Law---What Prominent Citizens Have to Say About the Dean Ballot Machine.

Editor TRIBUNE--Referring to the communication of Frank Jordan published in your issue of last evening in relation to the voting machines, will say that the main reason why the Dean machine is not exhibited on the street is that no effective or adequate exhibition of a voting machine can be given on the street. All that is needed to demonstrate the truth of this theory is to compare the kind of exhibitions which are now being made in a cigar store of the Standard machine with that which is being made of the Dean machine in a room in the Union Savings Bank Building. The Dean machine has been on exhibition in that building for the past week, the fact and the room number has been published in the public press and several hundred people have availed themselves of an opportunity of investigating this machine. It has been the aim of those showing it to send everyone who came, away with some accurate knowledge of the construction and operation of the machine.

VITAL PART

The vital part of the mechanism of any voting machine is the counter and the actuator, the device which does the registering of the votes and the way it is moved.

Unless these are positive and accurate no reliance can be placed on the results attained by a voting machine. We have endeavored to convince all those to whom the Dean machine has been shown that the construction of this part of its mechanism is absolutely and positively to be relied on. Such an exhibition of this part of the mechanism of the machine would not be practicable on the street, and it is the most vital part of the whole proposition.

Has any citizen in Oakland been permitted to get at and attempt to manipulate the counter of the Standard machine, as dozens of citizens have been permitted to attempt to manipulate the counters of the Dean machine?

STANDARD MACHINE

Are not the counters of the Standard machine always kept under glass? And is it not a part of the religion of those who exhibit the Standard machine to keep people from attempting to manipulate them? It is to demonstrate this fundamental and altogether vital difference between the machines that the Dean machine is not exhibited on the street.

DEAN MACHINE

As to the question whether or not the Dean machine has ever been used in an election, it is a matter of common knowledge that it is an entirely new machine and that it has not been used in a legal election but this is no reason why it should not be. Those who have been connected with its development and construction need no instructions from any one connected with the United States Standard Machine Company, as to the proper functions of a voting machine. The argument of the Standard Company boiled down amounts to this that until a machine has been used you never should use it. This is a style of logic which, if followed would result in the cessation of all progress.

We would still be using the same style of steamboat with which Fulton made his historic trip down the Hudson, instead of the ocean liners which are in use today. The railroad would never have supplanted the stage coach, nor any other step in advance been made in the progress of civilization. Under the influence of such an idea as this a man or a community would die of dry rot and never adopt anything new. The truth is that whenever an article is proven by experience to possess defects or to be inadequate to meet the requirements it is designed to fill, something new always arises to take its place, and the new is generally an improvement on the old.

MISSTATEMENTS.

Mr. Jordan's communication contains some misstatements, and many misleading expressions, most of which are not entitled to any reply, but that, in reference to the unwillingness of the Dean people to submit to a competitive export test should not go unchallenged. Both the Dean and Standard machines have been submitted to a comparative export test in the State of California, and that test has been an official one. The result of it has not been altogether pleasing to the United States Standard voting machine people.

WHERE STANDARD FAILS.

To leave all extraneous and non-essential matters, let me conclude by pointing out that the Dean people have made the assertion that the Standard machine does not comply with the law of the State of California governing

the use of voting machines, nor with the specifications under which the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda advertised for bids. In making this allegation the Dean people point out three specific things:

CANNOT RETRACT.

1--That the United States Standard machine cannot retract a vote cast for a candidate whose name does not appear on the ballot of any party, that the law of the State of California requires that a machine should be able to retract such a vote, and that when you prevent him from doing so you discriminate against the independent voter, and prohibit him from enjoying the same rights and privileges which you give to other voters.

The United States Standard Company when asked the question by your newspaper whether they could retract an independent vote, made this answer: The United States Standard permits a man to vote for an unominated candidate and to change his vote when necessary.

The Dean machine when asked the same question answered 'Yes' and demonstrated to a representative of your paper that it could do so.

I leave it to you and your readers to judge which company evaded the question.

AS TO PARTIES.

2--The United States Standard Company when asked whether it could handle more parties than appeared on the face of their machine, and if so how answered, 'The machines exhibited do not either of them legally permit more than seven straight party tickets to be voted.'

The Dean machine answered to the same question and demonstrated its answer, as follows: 'Yes, and in doing so it absolutely equals the candidates of all parties.'

It is plain from these answers that the United States Standard machine people admit that they cannot fulfill this requirement, they admit that the Dean machine can but allege that the way they have of doing it is not, in their judgment a legal way. It is probably fortunate for the Dean machine that the Standard people are not the judges of whether it is legal or not.

OAKLAND TICKET.

3--The United States Standard Company in answer to a question propounded by your paper, attempts to quote from a decision of the Supreme Court of this State to the effect that the law prevents any discrimination between nominated candidates. To this principle and to this fact the Dean people are willing most heartily to subscribe and in connection with it desire to point out that on the Standard machine where a man's name appears more than once on the ballot you are permitted by the mechanism of their machine to vote for him at every place and on every ticket on which his name appears. In a selective group in the case of endorsed candidates such as appeared on the last Oakland ticket are candidates whose names appear as many as four times on the ballot. In each case you can vote for these gentlemen at four places and while it is true that they do not receive thereby more than one vote, it is also true that by voting for them in all four places a voter locks himself out from voting for the other candidates for whom he is entitled to vote and cannot do so, unless he is sufficiently well acquainted with the mechanism of the machine to retract three of his votes and substitute others. How is this for discrimination against the other nominated candidates whose names appear on the ballot only once? A man whose name appears more than once can be voted for everywhere his name appears to the detriment and injury of their vote. Moreover this same defect in the Standard machine prevents the judges from ascertaining in the case of an endorsed candidate from which party a man received his votes. If you vote for him at one place his name appears, he gets a like vote everywhere else.

If you give him three hundred votes on the Republican party ticket and his name appears on the Democratic and Municipal League tickets, they also get credit for three hundred votes, and, inasmuch as the location of a party ticket on the ballot is determined by the highest number of votes received by it for any candidate in the preceding election, a distinct harm is done to the party organization, and absolute confusion might result in determining the make-up of the ballot. In the Dean machine you are shown not only how many votes a man gets but where he gets them--which is preferable.

STANDARD CANNOT ANSWER.

To conclude--The allegations of the

Dean people as to the non compliance of the Standard machine with the laws of the State and the specifications of the Supervisor's advertisement are specific and definite. Either they can be answered or they cannot.

If the Standard machine cannot answer them it should not be entitled to consideration.

There are no allegations on the part of the Standard people against the Dean machine as to its non-compliance either with the law or the specifications that I am aware of. Its entire "replay" or the substance of its list of questions is an inquiry as to why the Dean machine is not exhibited on the street and a charge that it is a new machine. Unless the Standard can show that it does comply with the law or that the Dean machine does not, it should be excluded from further consideration, especially inasmuch as the Dean machine has made the lowest bid, absolutely in conformity to the specifications of the advertisement published by the Supervisors, and that it is a reasonable corporation is a matter of common knowledge in this community. The failure of the Columbia Company to deliver machines a year or two ago has not bearing whatever on the abilities of the Dean Ballot Machine Company to fulfill its contracts. It is prepared to carry out any obligation it will enter into and to that end will furnish necessary bonds, cash indemnities or other guarantees which the United States Standard Company either will or can do respectfully.

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GUS HARRISON.

Gus Harrison, ex-Councilman--The

Dean Machine outdoes its competitors in point of efficiency. It is a wonder, also in that it is so readily understood.

L. E. BOARDMAN.

L. E. Boardman, Receiving Teller

Union Savings Bank--The Dean Ballot Machine is the best I have ever seen. It is far ahead of any of its competitors thus far exhibited in this city and seems to comply strictly with the laws of the State regarding voting machines. I do not know much of its mechanical construction, but I do know that its simplicity is its chief virtue.

D. R. O. D. HAMLIN.

Dr. O. D. Hamlin--I was of the

opinion that any mechanical contrivance for voting might be effectively tampered with. By way of experience I tried it with the Dean Ballot Machine I failed.

FRED JORDAN.

State Senator John H. Nelson--The

Dean Machine is the best ballot machine I ever saw, it ticks 'em all.

CLAUDE PUGH.

Claude Pugh--It is really a mar-

vel, any one who ever voted the Aus-

tralian ballot system can vote that

machine without further instruction.

SHERIFF BARNET.

Sheriff Frank Barnet--I can't see

any possible objection to it. I like it

very much indeed.

B. H. GRIFFINS.

B. H. Griffins, Attorney-at-Law--

The Dean Ballot Machine unquestionably complies with the laws of the State of California, cannot be tampered with, is simple, efficient and light, and in my judgment it will be many years before a better machine can be constructed.

JOHN L. McVEY.

John L. McVey, Attorney-at-Law--

Careful study of the law relating to ballot machines and a careful examination of the Dean contrivance convinces me that no question can be raised as to its legality in an election; moreover, it is easier to manipulate and may be understood far more readily than by the present method of the Australian system.

HARRY A. LANE.

Harry A. Lane, newspaper corre-

spondent of Los Angeles--The Dean ballot machine in my opinion is almost perfection. There is no possible way of beating it. If a man should go into the booth and fall down on top of the keys he would still cast a legal ballot. The Dean machine is so far ahead of any of its competitors that there is absolutely no comparison.

A. T. SPENCE.

A. T. Spence, Inventor American

Floor Surfacing Machine--For the past twenty years I have been working upon inventions for fast saving machinery, but in all my varied experience in that line I have never seen anything to equal the Dean ballot machine. It is a marvelous contrivance, simple to the outside view, yet constructed with an ingenuity that I have never seen equalled. Looking at it simply from the view of the private citizen and not as an inventor I am deeply impressed with its efficiency and simplicity, and the remarkably easy method of manipulating it.

H. C. BLACK.

H. C. Black--The Dean Machine is one of the most remarkable inventions of the present day. I spent several hours examining it in its mechanical construction in company with

Mr. Axel Johnson, who is an inventor of note and who is widely known through his can-making machinery. After three hours of critical study I

examined of the Dean Ballot Machine I believe it to be a very perfect one indeed.

SENATOR W. C. RALSTON.

State Senator W. C. Ralston--I have made a very thorough examination of the Dean Ballot Machine and know it to be sound in every particular and as near perfect as machinery can be made. It also answers every legal question that I can think of.

SENATOR LYNCH.

State Senator Henry W. Lynch--I never saw anything like it, it can do anything but talk in my judgment it is far superior to anything now in use in California in the voting machine line.

JOHN C. LYNCH.

John C. Lynch--It is simply a wonder, it is a great improvement over anything I have ever seen in the voting machine line.

A. E. NICHOLSON.

A. E. Nicholson, Resident Engineer Santa Fe Railroad--It is a mechanical marvel, it answers every question I could possibly ask of it.

E. J. FOSTER.

E. J. Foster--There is no comparison, the Dean Machine is a wonder and so simple that any one can vote on it.

JOHN MARTIN.

John Martin--The Dean Machine beats them all, it does all that the Standard does and a great deal more than the Standard can not do.

ROSS BROMLEY.

Ross Bromley--This is the finest

thing that ever came to California

why, there is no comparison, it beats them all.

E. C. HAHN.

E. C. Hahn--A very simple machine

indeed, and something that any person can vote on. It seems to do all that is asked of it.

C. T. RUDOLPH.

Chas. T. Rudolph--I think it the

best machine I ever saw, so light,

simple and effective.

DR. HALSEY.

Dr. W. H. Hale--It is undoubtedly

a very fine machine, both mechanically and legally.

DR. TRAVERS.

Dr. H. P. Travers--I have seen the

Dean Machine taken apart and set up

again and of all mechanical contrivances I ever saw, it is the best.

W. B. HENNESSY.

W. B. Hennessy, Clerk of the Police

Court--I think it very simple,

easy to vote on and covers every

point I can think of. I like it very

much.

WM. FLETCHER.

Wm. Fletcher, ex-Chief of Police--

It is certainly a dandy, simply a

wonder, beats anything I ever saw.

I hope the county buys them.

CHAS. D. BATES.

Charles D. Bates, City Treasurer--

I like the Dean Machine very much

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PARLOR ELECTS OFFICERS

Oakland Candidate For N. D. G. W. Convention.

SAN JOSE, June 17.—The Grand Parlory Daughters this forenoon elected the following officers: Grand president, Arlana W. Stirling; Allie Parlory, No. 102; Salinas; grand secretary, Laura J. Frakes; Ampola Parlory, No. 80; Sutter Creek; grand first vice president, Eva T. Busselen; Esperanza Parlory, No. 24; Los Angeles; grand treasurer, Anna F. Lacy; Los Lomas Parlory, No. 72; San Francisco; grand marshal, Emma Lillie; Ivy Parlory, No. 106; grand inside sentinel, Agnes McVern; Calaveras Parlory, No. 106; San Francisco.

Selection of officers will be concluded this afternoon and they will be installed this evening. The person who will be elected and the place for the next convention will be chosen at the evening's session. The candidates are Salinas, Sacramento, Oakland and San Francisco, with McVern in the lead.

It is now believed that the Grand Parlory will conclude its business this evening and adjourn.

SAYS HE'S CRANK ON STAMPS

WOMAN WANTS DIVORCE BECAUSE HUSBAND SPENDS MONEY COLLECTING.

Suit for divorce was begun this morning by Fannie M. Seager against Albert L. Seager, whom she charges with intemperance and cruelty. She says that he drinks most of the time and that he has often choked her, called her wife names and told her that he wants to get rid of her.

She says that she has been supplied with the necessities of life, and he generally has become such a burden to her that she is now willing and anxious to get a separation from a man who has only brought her misery. There are no children.

Mrs. Seager says that her husband is a collector on the collection of stamps and that he has spent the last two years as much as \$2000 on stamps while she was, without the necessities of life. She says that he earns \$27 a week and that he has a weekly income of \$30 a month and also to have set apart to her the household furniture and some ready.

CUSTODIAN FOR COUNTY EXHIBIT

The commissioners to the Lewis and Clark Exposition at Portland, at their meeting this afternoon, elected Colonel L. T. Crane, a real estate man, who resides at 330 Broadway street, custodian of the exhibit of the county in the fair in question. Commissioners G. H. Walker and Willhite were in attendance at the meeting.

ON RETIRED LIST.

SACRAMENTO, June 17.—Brigadier General Charles Jansen, commanding the second brigade, C. N. C., was today placed on the retired list. His successor will probably be appointed in a few days.

SMALL ROOF FIRE.

The fire department was called on this morning to put out a roof fire at the residence of J. Salda, 1257 Clay street.

CITY MAY OWN LINE HUGGED BY BEAR

Chicago Might Compete Allendale Man Has Rough Experience With Pet Bear.

CHICAGO, June 17.—A street car system, owned and operated by the city of Chicago as a competitor of the companies that now control the traction situation in this city, can be made a profitable investment, according to a statement made by Mayor Dunne today.

After an inspection of the North and West Side lines, during which it was found that over 100 miles of tracks will be available for a municipal system, Mayor Dunne expressed himself as satisfied that city ownership may be made successful and that it is possible to operate at a profit a system in rivalry with the companies now in control of the surface lines.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, traction expert, and C. S. Darrow, special counsel on traction matters for the city of Chicago, accompanied Mayor Dunne on the tour of inspection.

MADAME RUFF IS ARRESTED

PORLTAND, Ore., June 17.—Madame Reginald Ruff, alias von Heck, a clairvoyant and psychologist, was arrested here to-day charged with the theft of jewelry valued at several thousand dollars from Mrs. Clara C. Sterns, of Oakland, Cal. The woman left Oakland for Portland on April 15.

The pleasant announcement is authorized today of the prospective marriage of Miss Kathryn Toedt, a beautiful young woman and one of the most popular and successful of the trained nurses of this city, to Everett Meek, an attaché of the local staff of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

Coupled with this general announcement is the fact that the nuptials will be celebrated in the near future.

The bride prospective has hosts of friends in this vicinity, not a few of whom owe their triumph over ailment to her gentle and skillful ministrations, which made hers an always welcome presence in the hour of pain.

Mr. Meek is an Eastern young man, who has resided in Oakland only two years, but that period has been ample to enable associates to discover in him admirable qualities of both mind and heart.

Sincere wishes for a life of contentment and happiness will attend their marriage ceremony.

PARDEE GIVES PRISONER FREEDOM

SACRAMENTO, June 17.—Governor Pardee today commuted the sentence of Albert L. Williams, convicted of murder in the first degree in Merced county in December, 1888, and sentenced to life imprisonment at San Quentin. Judge C. H. Marks, who tried the case, and a majority of the jurors signed the petition for Williams, who has served a term equivalent to seventeen years, will be released on July 3. The commutation carries restoration to citizenship.

Dr. Stetson told the court that he believed he thought his work was worth the price. Doctors, he intimated, went on the plan of making those who can pay for those who cannot, and the average of it all is the living the doctor makes. Had the estate amounted to \$50,000 the bill would have been several times larger, and had it been \$500,000 it would have been written with five figures.

SENT TO ASYLUM.

William Organ, a patient at the Home for the Adult Blind, was committed to the Utah Insane Asylum today by Superior Judge Melvin. Organ, his trouble being caused by a woman over religious matters. He lost his eye sight several years ago by an explosion in a mine.

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Significance of Taft's Address.

Secretary Taft's address to the students of Miami University is sharp notice to the Pacific Coast that the policy of rigidly excluding Chinese from the United States is to be challenged by powerful influences. Behind the significant warning contained in Secretary Taft's words are the trade, manufacturing and transportation interests of the country, always potential in shaping legislation and directing our foreign relations. These potent agencies exert a powerful influence on public thought through the press. In league with them to modify the exclusion laws is the church influence, which is prone to overlook social evils at home in taking a sentimental interest in the heathen of foreign lands.

Now can it be said that the War Secretary's views are without responsive echo on the Pacific Coast. Labor troubles have disgusted many men who were formerly staunch advocates of exclusion. The scarcity, cost and unreliability of labor employed in the fruit industry have changed the views of many on the subject of Chinese immigration. The Japanese are not nearly so satisfactory as domestic and ranch employees as the Chinese, yet they are permitted to come here in swarms. There is a growing opinion that if we let the Japanese in we should not keep the Chinese out. One can hear it bluntly stated on all sides that the Chinese are preferable to the Japanese.

But if we attempt to exclude the Japanese our trade relations with Japan, which are very profitable, will be disturbed. This is no light matter, for Japanese sentiment dominates Oriental thought from Vladivostok to Cambodia. Japan is the first Oriental country to become a great sea power, and her defeat of Russia has fired the race pride and imagination of the entire East. The boycott on American goods inaugurated in Southern China is spreading to the northern provinces of the empire and threatens disaster to the American commercial interests in the Orient. The inspiration of the boycott is the victories of Japan over Russia. It is the natural response to the guns of Togo and Oyama, and its significance must not be underrated.

Cotton manufacturers have taken the alarm and are clamoring for a modification if not a repeal of the exclusion act, and trade and industrial organizations all over the east are seconding the demand. The trade and sectarian journals are taking the matter up and are singing the same song. A recent editorial in the Boston Transcript contains this paragraph:

"The termination of the treaty of 1894 leaves a degree of uncertainty as to the treaty conditions existing between the two governments. This being so, it would seem to be a sound and just policy in all such cases as that here instanced, to give Chinese travelers the full benefit of every doubt, and hasten as soon as arrangements can be made to give Chinese citizens, exclusive of those who come here as laborers, the same rights and privileges that we give to citizens of any other country. They have the right to demand as much as this, and it would be a gross exercise of arbitrary power to refuse them. We are seemingly pursuing a policy of stultification, if not positive imbecility towards the great empire. We stroke her back with one hand and slap her in the face with the other, and then expect her to trust us, love us and buy our merchandise."

Commenting on this, The Pacific, the California organ of the Congregational Church, says, "it has been growing more and more evident that there will have to be some modification of our treatment of the Chinese."

Nor is this all. The mercantile interests of San Francisco can no longer be solidly arrayed in favor of Chinese exclusion. The Oriental trade of that city has grown by leaps and bounds since Dewey's victory at Manila, and the money kings and merchant princes of San Francisco will be quick to take alarm at any measure which threatens to destroy the city's primacy as the Occidental entrepot of Oriental trade. Trade is a great leveler and modifier. Its votaries are not often controlled by sentiment, and the growth of our trade with China and Japan has undoubtedly breached and weakened the once-united sentiment of the Pacific Coast against Chinese immigration. This division and weakening have been noted at the seat of government, and a member of the Cabinet would not so boldly challenge the policy of rigid exclusion.

Police Officer McKeegan has again been charged with making an unwarranted and illegal arrest to gratify a personal spite. He has been in trouble more than once before for the same thing. It is time the Police Commissioners investigated his conduct thoroughly with a view to ascertaining what the trouble is with McKeegan. On a former occasion he arrested a saloon keeper on a trumped up charge because the publican refused to continue supplying him with free liquor. There is a hint of the same motive behind the latest arrest. The Police Board should find out. The police force is no place for such pernicious activity.

The Bakersfield Californian says that under the new school apportionment Oakland is simply getting less of the money it is not entitled to than it got before. If the Californian's method of reasoning be correct, then Kern county is getting more money than it is not entitled to than it got before.

The World's Greatest Metropolis.

According to the new State census, which is not fully completed, however, New York City has a population approximating 4,000,000. London still leads by some 2,500,000, but all other European cities are far in the rear. Still the disparity in the population of the two principal cities of the English-speaking race is not so great after all, if other things are considered. If New York embraced the same territorial area as the British metropolis, her limits would include Newark, Jersey City, Hoboken, Elizabeth and other considerable towns on the Jersey shore, which would increase the population by at least 600,000.

But London has no great cities like Philadelphia, Boston and Baltimore immediately contiguous. Each of these cities is a commercial metropolis entirely independent of the greater city. They correspond to Liverpool, Glasgow, Belfast and Edinburgh in the British Isles. Philadelphia with a million and a half of people is only eighty-eight miles from New York. Intervening are such large cities as Camden, Trenton, Paterson, Jersey City and Newark. To the northeast lies Boston, which has a population, if Cambridge and other suburbs be included, of more than a million. Between are the large cities of Providence, New Haven and Bridgeport. South of Philadelphia lies Baltimore with 700,000 inhabitants, and thirty miles from Baltimore is Washington with 300,000 more. Between Philadelphia and Baltimore is Wilmington with nearly 100,000 inhabitants.

Liverpool, Manchester and Birmingham are all farther away from London than Boston and Baltimore are from New York. It is nearly five hundred miles from Charing Cross to Glasgow. Paris is two hundred and thirty-two, Berlin seven hundred and thirty-one and Vienna nearly a thousand miles from the British capital. Pittsburgh, Buffalo and Cleveland are all nearer Manhattan than Berlin is to London; and between Buffalo and New York are half a dozen large cities, including Rochester, Syracuse, Albany, Troy and Utica.

What do these facts prove? Why, that New York is the center of the greatest urban district in the world, London not even excepted. And it is not amiss to mention in this connection that the largest metropolis of the Spanish speaking race is on this continent—Buenos Ayres, in South America. Likewise Rio Janeiro is the largest Portuguese speaking metropolis in the world.

Lord Dunraven on Irish Government.

Although Ireland is underpopulated compared to England and Scotland, a new exodus is taking place. The movement of the Irish to America, which declined to very small proportions a few years ago, has taken a fresh start, and the inhabitants of whole parishes threaten to emigrate notwithstanding the efforts of the clergy, the Nationalist leaders, and the press to stay the tide. This year the emigration from Ireland to America promises to reach 100,000. Detachments of Irish are also drifting to Australia, Canada and South America. The great bulk of them come to the United States, however, for here is where they find the largest proportion of their kindred and social and political conditions which appeal the most strongly to their temperament and sympathies.

It was fondly hoped that the passage of the land purchase act would keep the depleted population of Ireland at home, but it has not. It has ameliorated the condition of the tenantry somewhat, but it has failed to correct the evils of centuries of misrule. The government of Ireland is still alien and external. It is a system that repels and antagonizes the mass of the Irish people who feel its restrictions without having any appreciable share in it. It was provided over sea against their consent, and it chafes their pride and stirs their resentment. However relaxed its former severities may be it fails to endear itself to the Irish.

So discouraging has the situation become that the Earl of Dunraven, he of international yachting fame, has written a pamphlet entitled "The Crisis in Ireland; An Account of the Present Condition of Ireland, and Suggestions Toward Reform." It is an indictment of British rule in the Emerald Isle, past and present, and voices a demand that the government of Ireland be handed over to the inhabitants of the island.

This is no Irish Nationalist that is speaking, but a peer, a landlord and a Unionist. Therefore, when Lord Dunraven says: "The Dublin Castle system of government, with the ramifications of uncontrollable or only partly controlled departments, stands condemned, and no one who is conversant with Ireland can fail to admit that the economic and social conditions of the country is one that gives cause for anxiety and alarm," it is testimony from a witness who cannot be impeached for disloyalty or prejudice. And it is to be noted that Lord Dunraven's statement is but an echo of what the Earl of Westmeath said on the floor of the House of Lords last February.

Lord Dunraven denounces the present government of Ireland as a grotesque anachronism which satisfies no one and fails to answer the requirements of the Irish people, because its spirit is not one of loyalty to the inhabitants of Ireland, but of loyalty to a political party in England. Its cost is in inverse ratio to its efficiency. He contends that the Irish people are neither lazy nor devoid of intelligence. They do good work in all quarters of the globe. They go out into the world and become leaders of men. Therefore, he argues, there is no inherent defect in the race. What they lack at home is education. They want the teaching responsibility alone can give.

"One million saved by the efforts of the people," his Lordship declares, "and expended according to the wishes of the people, would do more than treble the sum granted by Parliament and administered by independent departments. The self-respect begot by power, the self-control derived from duty, the confidence in self, following upon successful effort; the hope springing from seeing the good results of a wise conduct of affairs—all this is wanting, and must be given to the people. They must be shaken out of their apathy, lifted out of despair, and though much may be done in minor directions, the real motive power can only be found in self-government, in an active interest in the management of their own affairs."

Lord Dunraven contends that Ireland can never be Anglicized, and says the melancholy condition of affairs in the island today is due to the persistent effort of hundreds of years to make Protestant Englishmen out of Catholic Irishmen. Great Britain can force the Irish out of the country, but has failed completely to make them either English or Protestant. The remnant who remain in the land of their fathers are disloyal to the core. The steady decline in population is producing social and economic evils of an aggravated type. It is the more robust, intelligent and enterprising that emigrate. The inferior stock remain. Ireland is sending its best blood abroad, and Lord Dunraven believes the fatal drain cannot be arrested till the Irish are given a government suited to their needs and which they can control.

This is the language of Parnell and Gladstone, but it is spoken by a British peer. Who says truth crushed to earth shall not rise again?

The fear expressed by the editor of the Hanford Sentinel that this paper is determined to wipe Alexander Hamilton out of history is quite unnecessary in view of the fact that the said editor does not read history.

LONGINGS

Oh, for one day 'mid old-time scenes,
Where sea-winds waft at eve,
Where purple mists o'er hills of green
Grief-wearied hearts relieve;
Where mountain-streams sing all day long,
And night's a time divine
For home and hope, for love and song,
In that dear land of mine!

The greenwoods now seem fairy haunts,
With song-birds' mellow tune;
The rose her fragrant beauty vaunts—
Earth's bridal month is June;
But vain for me the rose and bird,
Blue hill and daisied plain;
They'll bloom and sing unseen, unheard,
Unhoped for e'er again.

Then come sweet mem'ries of the past,
Of friends and faces dear;
Of all youth's joys you now but last,
To make Life's year less drear;
Bring sunset clouds and sea-wind songs,
Fair vale and mountain stream;
You'll soothe, awhile, this heart that longs,
Though but a daylight dream.

—F. D. Shanahan, Oakland, Cal.

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THIS ROYAL BRIDE AND GROOM TO VISIT A FAMOUS CASTLE.

Honeymoon to Be Spent at Lismore.



LONDON, June 17.—Part of the honeymoon of Prince Gustavus of Sweden and his bride, Princess Margaret, King Edward's niece, will be spent at Lismore Castle, the beautiful Irish seat of the Duke of Devonshire. The Duke has loaned the place to them for as long as they care to occupy it, but it is not likely that their stay will exceed a week.

Lismore Castle came into possession of the ducal family as a hymeneal offering. The heads of the house have a knack of marrying heiresses, but none of them profited more by this happy trait than the fourth Duke. He it was who married the only child and heiress of the Earl of Burlington and Cork. Thereby, in addition to the castle itself, he added to his estates 27,000 acres in the county of Waterford, and 32,000 in the county of Cork. Much property in England, too, the lucky marriage brought him, including Chiswick House and Burlington House, the first of which in the fullness of time became a lunatic asylum and the latter more fitly the home of the Royal Academy.

Lismore Castle is a large and imposing pile, whose boldly restored battlements from today, with modern conspicuously, above the Blackwater River, and help one to forget that King John and Sir Walter Raleigh were really predecessors of the Devonshire in possession of the historic spot. The view from the windows of the principal rooms is very fine, particularly the prospect from the drawing-room.

The ballroom, which was at one time

used as a chapel, has an exquisite pointed Gothic roof of woodwork and is lighted by stained glass windows. The great sight of the demesne is the long avenue of yews, the trees forming a complete archway overhead. The gardens and terraces are attrac-

NO BIRD PLUMAGE ON WOMEN'S HATS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 17.—The law prohibiting the wearing of feathers taken from birds except those of domestic fowls goes into effect at midnight, and will not only prove a serious affliction to women, but of great pecuniary loss to the millinery houses. Wholesale milliners of this city estimate that the enforcement of this law will mean a loss to the trade of not less than \$3,000,000 in the next two years. The milliners generally say they will abide by the law.

"We will be forced to create new millinery designs out of other material, in view of the possibility that we will be unable to use certain plumage and feathers," said the head of the largest wholesale house in the city to-night.

Section 53 of the law says: "All Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, marshals and other peace officers are hereby declared to be ex-officio game wardens, and are empowered to enforce the law." Any woman who appears upon the street wearing a hat decorated with the plumage of game birds will be liable to arrest and imprisonment.

★ SOMETHING FOR YOU TO AVOID. ★

Here are some of the deformities which careless women cultivate:
★ A heavy lower lip—induced by a pout.
★ Dull eyes, with hanging lids—induced by apathy and indifference.
★ Creases between the eye-brows—induced by bad temper.
★ Pimplies—induced by tight lacing and overseating.
★ Round shoulders—induced by wrong sitting and wrong reclining and failure to take exercise.
★ Goggles—induced by straining the eyes.
★ Hollow cheeks—induced by nervousness.
★ Stubby fingers—induced by biting the nails.
★ Bent toes—induced by wearing tight shoes.
★ Freckles and tan—induced by going hatless in the hot sun.
★ Thin hair and baldness—induced by bleaches, nervousness, worry, bad eating and careless treatment of hair and scalp.

REHEARSAL IS A SOCIAL EVIL, SAYS A PASTOR

BALTIMORE, June 17.—The Rev. Charles E. Guthrie, pastor of Strawbridge Methodist Episcopal Church, will not read the marriage ceremony for rehearsing parties. He opposes fashionable church weddings which make rehearsals necessary, on the ground that such affairs look rather to dramatic effect and dress display than to the solemnity of the obligation being assumed.

"I will not rehearse weddings with the parties in any case," Dr. Guthrie said, "because I am convinced that weddings with great display and elaborate preparation work more harm than good and are in part at the base of a very serious social evil."

"I believe that when any clergyman takes part in a rehearsal to the extent of reading the service the man and woman at the end of it are just as much married as though the license had been issued and the contract solemnized in the regular form."

"The divorce evil, as it is called in this country, has made us a laughing stock before the world. I believe it will be found that an important contributing cause of this lies in the fading out of the religious idea of marriage."

The flirt may have a good deal of superficial attraction, but if you notice you will find that a great many unmarried women are spoken of as having been great flirts in their day.

Remember, dear girls, that if you are born coquettish it is your birthright and the charms with which nature has endowed you.

When Mrs. Dolan told the foreman he must not place a pole in front of her house he laughed. Mrs. Porter

One can understand killing when it's a necessity, but when it is done for pure joy, it shows that the savage instinct is not altogether subdued, but only dormant—Betty Martin.

Even debutantes angle for men—but as men are capable to repay in kind, the game is equal, and no tears are necessary—Betty Martin.

ABOUT MEN AND BEASTS

The story about the gold found in the new well which is being drilled for the Marysville Water Company calls to mind the history of a locally famous hillock on the outskirts of the little town of Folsom, in Sacramento county.

Folsom is known to the world at large, nowadays, principally through its proximity to the State prison. However, it has an interesting history of its own, of the "has been" order.

The town has about it that semi-defunct air peculiar to all mining towns of the State, and the majority of its inhabitants are so wedded to the quaint habit that fifteen grains at a dose in no wise inconveniences them.

The old-timers point with pride to various spots in the locality, where so and so took out an enormous pocket in the good old days which are no more. Among these stories they invariably revert to the hillock mentioned, and will recount how two men, well-known in Sacramento county, were prospecting on the hill. They took an ordinary wash-tub full of dirt from there to the little creek which flows in a rippling current along its base, and panned out from it just one hundred dollars worth of gold. This experiment was repeated just one hundred times, with exactly the same result each time.

In other words, the miners carried one hundred tub-fulls of dirt to the creek, and were rewarded with one hundred dollars worth of free gold each trip.

Since then many have tried their hands at the old pile, but nary so much as a "color" has shown up. The story sounds almost like a fairy tale, but there are those who vouch for its truth, and those living who spent the money.

That the locality still pays to mine is evidenced by the fact that the old pear orchard, a little to the south of town, and once part of the world-renowned Natom Vineyard, though latterly the property of the late Ward Aull, has within the last year or two, been torn up for mining purposes. If report be true, it's a paying venture to all concerned.

About two miles out from Folsom, a solitary grave, enclosed by a wobbly picket fence, and neighbored on the opposite side of the road by a miner's cabin, marks where Prairie City used to stand. Prairie City, now no more, once famed for its wealth, and dance halls, which were palaces of their time.

In an exactly opposite direction from the remains of Prairie City, is Mormon Creek. Here again, the oldest inhabitant will lead you to the spot where the late Senator Stanford conducted his little grocery store, and where, so they say, the thirsty could allay their sufferings by a long pull at the Jackass brandy, famous throughout Sacramento county to this day. Jackass brandy is of a kind by itself. How it ever acquired its name I do not know, but it is said to be preferred in its raw state. In fact, the patron of this particular kind of liquid refreshment will have none of it, unless it is particularly new and fresh from the still. If it doesn't burn the throat as it goes down it's considered of no account.

This little talk about brandy is an unpardonable digression from the subject of gold, but, all the same, I have been wondering, since it came up, if the new liquor law which prohibits the selling of intoxicants within two miles of State Institutions, will be enforced at the town of Folsom. If it is, many's the fellow who will have to go out of business, for almost every third place of business on the main street is a saloon.

In connection with mines and mining people, old Tuolumneites still adhere to the custom of holding a yearly gathering "down at the bay." The 17th of June, which happens to be today, is the chosen time, and Golden Gate Park, the spot where the few remaining pioneers and their descendants gather to talk of the times which are no more. Each year the ranks are thinned by the reaper's scythe, but the enthusiasm of the survivors never dims.

The Native Daughters inaugurated a pleasant custom at San Jose on Wednesday, when they planted the palm and the spruce. It was particularly happy of them to dedicate the palm to their Grand President, Mrs. Caminetti, and to christen the tree by her name. Mrs. Caminetti is an unusually bright woman with no "trills." She spent several years of her life at San Jose Normal, preparing for her chosen profession of teaching, and it was a fitting coincidence which brought her there once more at this particular juncture.

It is to be hoped that the tree-planting, opened so auspiciously, will constitute part of the regular yearly gatherings.

By the way the Native Daughters is the only beneficiary organization in the whole United States managed exclusively by women.

These are the days when the proud fisherman goes forth to capture the unsuspecting denizens of the wavy regions; in these times, also, the gunner roams the woods, intent on game.

Somehow, this balmy season appears to awaken a desire for killing in the human breast.

Even debutantes angle for men—but as men are capable to repay in kind, the game is equal, and no tears are necessary.

But why should human beings have this strong desire to kill, just for the mere pleasure of the thing. Isn't there enough recreation in the world without preying, the strong upon the weak?

One can understand killing when it's a necessity, but when it is done for pure joy, it shows that the savage instinct is not altogether subdued, but only dormant.

Is it, after all, a matter of pure training?

Down in Fresno they have rabbit drives. The rabbits there, as everybody knows, become terrible pests, and eat up the crops to such an extent that they have to be gotten rid of.

The man and his wife attend these drives. They start in an enormous circle, and gradually close in and in, rounding up rabbits all the while, until finally the poor things are corralled in a human pen. Then begins the slaughter with clubs. It is something fearful, for the little animals cry like babies. And the strangest part of the whole thing is that nobody seems to have a particle of compunction, but each are filled with this desire to slay. After all, it's a strange world.

I once knew a Japanese prisoner, with an unpronounceable name, re-christened "Tito," after Tito Malme in George Eliot's novel.

Tito had killed a woman in cold blood, because, forsooth, she'd proven false to him. He never could understand why he should have been put in prison for the act.

"She not love me any more—she not true to me—I kill her," was his argument. That, to his mind, was enough. Morals, after all, are largely a matter of education.

Not so very long ago, as the officials of San Francisco know, the Japanese women who came from Honolulu arrived clothed in the thinnest kind of a little undervest, and a cotton Mother Hubbard. Their feet were stockinged, but they wore sandals. This was the extent of toilet worn by these little brown creatures until their countrymen took the matter up, and finally, the authorities at the islands saw to it that proper clothing was worn.

It is the coolie class which comes from Honolulu, and those who know say that the women coming up on the steamers are rapidly filling the dens of infamy in Chinatown. It is certainly a matter for investigation.

Mrs. Fine, formerly known to Oaklanders as that sweet singer, Miss Priest, is to spend the entire summer with her parents at the old home on Myrtle street.

Mrs. Fine has lived in New York for many years, and is as much of a favorite there in musical circles as she is on this coast. She brings with her the three little Fines, the youngest of whom, little Dorothy, is a comparatively recent arrival.

Among those who are going to leave town shortly, Mrs. W. E. Rollins may be mentioned. It is her intention to spend a portion of the summer in Portland, visiting her mother. She will be accompanied by her two daughters. Mr. Rollins expects to leave on the same day to pursue his studies among the Hopi Indians.

The reception given by the Nile Club, on Wednesday evening, to the three artists, Messrs. Neilson, Martinez and Rollins, was eminently successful and enjoyable. The exhibition of pictures proved more than interesting and the social features added zest to the evening. It was a privilege to be among the guests.

BETTY MARTIN.

GIRL HOLDS A CAR WHILE SHE FIXES HER HAIR

in her eyes she loosened a hairpin and the entire mass of hair fell about her face and shoulders.

Impatient at the delay she was causing the motorman told the young woman to get off the car. She replied that she could not get off "with her hair all down," and asked for a moment in which to rearrange her loosened braids.

Exasperated by the young woman's action in delaying the car, the motorman shouted to Deak Sergeant DeMolay, who was standing in front of the Stock Yards Police Station, to put her off the car. Before the policeman could comprehend the situation Miss Morrison alighted of her own accord and went to her home.

Men are afraid of flirts. They want womanly, lovable women for wives, not flighty, heartless women who are never happy unless they have a dozen men at their feet.

Perhaps if they had not been such flirts in their younger days they might now be happy wives.

Poultry are generally very fond of sunflower seeds, which also form an invaluable bait for rat and mouse trap.

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RECORDMADE BY THESE TEAMS

BY W. J. THOMPSON

The most successful baseball season St. Mary's College has known will practically terminate on next Sunday when the crack Young Phoenix will line up against the heavy Mesmer-Smith nine at St. Mary's at 2:30 o'clock.

Many local fans have long expressed a desire to witness these teams in hostile array, as they believe that the speed of the junior collegians will be considerably offset by a heavy aggregation. The Young Phoenix, however, have so often fought successfully against such odds that they do not fear the outlook.

LAST AT HOME.

This will be the last at-home game of the Young Phoenix, and but three more games remain before they will disband after having played together for four entire seasons. Many of them will be called upon to form next season's Phoenix.

Their other scheduled games are: Hercules at Pinole on May 23rd, Newham at Newman on July 2d, and Fort Baker at Idora Park on July 4th, the last being a benefit for St. Mary's Church, Oakland.

The present have the record for this season of the three leading teams of St. Mary's: Phoenix won out of 19 games, and the Young Phoenix 27 out of 27, and the Independents 25 out of 27. The score of the single defeat of the last mentioned team was 1 to 0.

A NOVEL FEAT.

In a sense, the Young Phoenix's account is probably the most interesting. The Phoenix, so far, outclassed all competition, that the Young Phoenix took upon themselves the task of attempting to whip whatever the Phoenix previously opposed.

The fact was novel, as the Young Phoenix's members are still quite young. That they were successful goes without comment. Besides, they claim the credit of having this season fought at least twice as many battles as any other amateur nine in California.

In no game were they outclassed, as the scores attest. Of their ten defeats six came in rapid succession and were lost in the final inning. This was at a time when Thompson, their midget twirler, was unwell.

If to their present record we add last season's we have the grand total, 87 games won and 12 lost.

YEAR'S SCHEDULE.

Following is this year's completed schedule together with the scores:

Games Won: Tribunes, 6 to 6; Brooklyn, 18 to 9; San Leandro, 6 to 4; Alameda Alerts, 4 to 1 and 13 to 6; Pacheco Stars, 11 to 2; California Business College, 10 to 0; E. C. Hahn, 14 to 4; Hubs, 10 to 1; Fort Baker, 2 to 0; U. C. Freshmen, 5 to 3; Fort Baker, 2 to 1; Oakland High School (assumed name) 3 to 1, 8 to 4, 2 to 1 and 5 to 4; U. C. Dental College, 15 to 2; Berkeley High School, 15 to 4; Cogswell, 4 to 0; Polytechnic Business College, 14 to 8; Nationals, 4 to 1; Santa Rosa, 14 to 6; Alameda High School, 10 to 2; Commercial High, 7 to 5; Baker & Hamilton, 17 to 5; A. L. Leber's 8 to 0; Pensacola (champion Navy team) 11 to 3, 9 to 8, 5 to 1, 8 to 6, 8 to 4, and 4 to 3; Sacred Heart College, 10 to 4; Baker & Hamilton, 13 to 2; Fort Baker, 11 to 1 and 15 to 12; Sacred Heart College, 17 to 23; U. C. Freshmen, 8 to 2; Gallagher-Mars, 4 to 3; Independents of East Oakland, 6 to 6; Belmont Military Academy, 8 to 6; Petaluma, 6 to 3.

Games Lost: Pensacola (champion Navy team) 10 to 7 (the Indians, 7 to 5); 4 to 2; Brooks, 8 to 6 (extra inning) and 4 to 2; The Vogues, 7 to 5 and 5 to 2; Petaluma, 8 to 6 (extra inning) and 4 to 2.

IN CLOSING.

Pensacola were the heaviest opponents, losing 6 and capturing 4 games. Bonne's were the weakest, by far, of all the victims and were not for the life of the college twirler this team would easily have gone the way of the other high schools. Petaluma was easily defeated in the final game.

The Vogues were brought together for this game and were fortunate in meeting the collegians at a time when they were considerably weakened.

The players of The Vogues at present from the strongest talent in the Hayward and San Leandro teams.

And so, to report, 1905 has been the most successful baseball season St. Mary's has known.

VESTIBULES TO PLAY AT IDORA

Sunday afternoon the Vestibules, Link Dennis' band of colored stars, will hook up with the Olympic Arms Company of San Francisco, at Idora Park, and a great game is expected, as both teams are composed of aggressive players.

On Monday evening, the Vestibules will try their hand at entertaining and will give an all night dance at Hovey's Dancing Academy, Eleventh street.

YOUNG PETER JACKSON BEATEN

BOSTON, June 17.—Sam Langford of this city literally beat Young Peter Jackson to a pulp in their fifteen-round fight before the Douglas Athletic Club members in Chelsea last night. The colored fighter from Baltimore exhibited an capacity for punishment that is equalled only by Joe Gamm's ability in that line, yet he kept Langford stepping pretty fast to keep out of the way of his wide swings. In the last round Langford had Jackson all but gone and it is doubtful whether Peter could have lasted another.



LOCALS ONLY GET ONE HIT.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

At San Francisco—San Francisco 1, Portland 0. (Eleven Innings.

At Los Angeles—Los Angeles 6, Oakland 0.

At Seattle—Tacoma 10, Seattle 4.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs Played Won Lost Pct.

Tacoma 87 39 56 .686

San Francisco 70 34 33 .529

Los Angeles 65 34 31 .623

Portland 63 31 32 1 .432

Oakland 69 33 36 1 .473

Seattle 54 24 40 1 .376

San Francisco and Portland play at Idora Park tomorrow morning. Game at 10 o'clock.

LOS ANGELES, June 17.—Hall's remarkable pitching shut out Oakland yesterday with but one scratch hit to his credit. Of the twenty-eight batters who faced Hall during the nine innings but one reached first base, and he died there.

The single hit to Oakland's credit came in the sixth inning, when Graham, after two men had gone out, hit an easy grounder down the third-base line. It looked an easy one for Smit, but Hall rushed over and fielded the ball and before he could recover and get the bat to first Graham beat it out by a very narrow margin.

Hall struck out five of the Oakland batters and gave no bases on balls.

His performance was one of the most spectacular ever seen on the local diamond.

The home team batted Graham for a total of eleven hits, netting six runs. Both teams played a pitcher in the field today. Moskman, playing left for Oakland in place of Dunleavy, who is out of the game with an injured shoulder, and Baum, substituting in the same position for Eames, the home team played without an error. Score:

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Cravath, rf 4 0 0 1 0 0

Ross, 2b 4 1 0 0 0 2

Baum, t 2 0 0 0 0 0

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Pulpit Themes

EPISCOPAL.
St Andrew's Church—Corner of Twelfth and Magnolia streets. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.; Rector's Bible class, 8:45 p. m. Rector, Rev. O. St. John Scott.

Trinity Church—Twenty-ninth and Telegraph avenue. Rev. Wyllys Hall, D. D., priest in charge. Trinity Sunday, 11 a. m.; Holy Communion, 10:45 a. m. Sunday School, 11 a. m.; morning prayer and Holy Communion, 4 p. m. evening prayer and sermon.

St Paul's Church—Fourth and Harrison streets. Rev. Charles Thomas Walkley, rector. Rev. R. J. Renison Jr., curate. Trinity Sunday—Holy Communion, 8 a. m., morning prayer and Communion, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. The rector will preach at both services. Music by male choir.

Musical vespers at Church of Advent, East Oakland—The public at large will be interested to know that these delightful and refreshing services will be continued throughout the months of June and August. Miss Olive Reed Cushman, contralto; Mrs. Williams, soprano; William Leimert, cellist. Athenian Club Quartet: Edwin Dunbar Crandall, Ernest McCandlish, Lowell Redfield, Dr. H. F. Carleton are on the program for the remaining 5 o'clock services in June.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Fourth Congregational Church—Rev. F. H. Maier pastor, Morning: "The Ancient Moses." Evening: "The Modern Moses."

First Congregational Church—Rev. Charles R. Brown, pastor. Evening: "The Woman Who Sinned."

Second Church—Rev. H. F. Burgess, pastor. Morning: "The Prayer of Faith." Evening: "The Use of Dark Days."

Market Street Congregational—Corner Market and Eighteenth street. Rev. Griffith Griffiths, pastor. Service tomorrow at 11 a. m. Subject: "True Words Uttered in Mockery. Christian Endeavor service at 6:15 p. m.

Pilgrim Congregational Church—Raymond C. Brooks, pastor. The last Sunday before vacation. The pastor will preach at both services. No evening service during vacation.

LUTHERAN.
German Lutheran Trinity Church—Corner of Seventeenth avenue and East Fifteenth street. Rev. H. H. Heserodt, pastor. Services every Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday evening service at 7:45. Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. Subject for morning: "The Greater Glory of the Pentecost of the New Testament Over That of the Old Testament." Subject for evening: "Regeneration."

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—J. H. Thoies, pastor. At 10:45 a. m. Subject: "The Way of Salvation." Evening: 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. M. Witte of Alameda will preach.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Brooklyn Presbyterian Church—Rev. H. K. Sanborn, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Evening subject: "The Christian Attitude." Preaching: "Treasures of the White."

Centennial Presbyterian Church—Rev. W. G. Trower will preach. Morning subject: "The Sunny Side of Christianity." Evening: "The Ambition of a Young Man."

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MISS MARIETTA MILTON.

A large garden fete for the benefit of St. Columba Church, Golden Gate, will be given at the home of Miss Mathews, 2853 San Pablo avenue, Berkeley on Thursday, June 22. An interesting musical and literary program will be carried out. The committee consists of Mrs. J. L. Miller, Miss Marietta Milton, Mrs. Mathews, Miss Theresa Mathews, Mrs. P. J. Mathews, Miss Mae Tormey, Miss Carter, Miss Faleian. The affair promises to be a large social success.

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SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—A blanket mortgage of \$50,000,000 on all of the properties of the Western Pacific Railroad will be issued within a few days, in accordance with the plan recently announced in dispatches from New York. The Western Pacific directors met yesterday to attend to this and other financial affairs, the required adjustment before the contracts for construction work can be let.

It is the purpose of the company to retain a sum of \$40,000,000, authorizing something like \$10,000,000 in bonds to be recently taken over by the New York bankers who have undertaken to find syndicate managers. In view of the old and new bond issue of \$20,000,000, it has been issued, secured by a blanket mortgage on some of the company's properties. This has been found necessary on account of some small irregularities which have been discovered, and which, it was feared, might impair the legality of the bonds. It turns out that J. F. Valle, general counsel of the company, has been retained to follow up the matter.

The statement is as follows:

Gross earnings, 1905, \$124,425,63; 1904, \$115,896,88; increase, \$10,528,75.

Operating expenses, 1905, \$62,154,57; 1904, \$54,450,13; increase, \$8,764,38.

Net earnings, 1905, \$62,241,06; 1904, \$60,476,69; increase, \$1,764,37.

Fixed charges, 1905, \$32,151,28; 1904, \$26,582,05; increase, \$5,569,24. Surplus, 1905, \$30,038,77; 1904, \$33,914,64; decrease, \$3,875,87.

EMPIRE THEATER.

The excellent hall furnished this week is attracting large audiences. It is a laughing show since the sensational act of D. Shields. This artist does some wonderful balancing on the slack wire, which commands breathless attention. Next week the management has secured the services of the greatest and the highest salaried single artist playing the ten cent vaudeville house in Carlton, the psychic wonder. This phenomenally gifted girl has exhibited her powers before many crowned heads and is the wonder of every English speaking nation where she has appeared. She is assisted by her father, who goes through the audiences and as different articles are handed him, he says, "What's this?" Miss Lola, blindfolded on the stage immediately describes minutely each and every article, reads cards, gives full information, gives one of the most astonishing exhibitions of telepathy or thought transference ever seen in public.

Another strong feature will be Mon. B. Sales, character impersonator, Miss Ida, rapid change and singing soubrette, Barnard, Barnum and Barnard, will present another new force. This will be the last week in Oakland. New motion pictures, and a collection of a number of New York gentlemen in the places of local directors.

SPIRITUAL.

The First Spiritual Church of Oakland held meetings every Sunday and Wednesday evenings, 6567 Isabella street. Public invited.

EVANGELIST RETURNS.

Rev. Henry Ostrom, D. D., the Evangelist, has popular fare last spring, in the Union Evangelistic Tabernacle, just returned from a six weeks' evangelistic campaign in the Hawaiian Islands. Tomorrow morning he will preach at the First Baptist Church, corner Telegraph and Franklin streets, and in the evening at the First M. E. Church.

TO DEDICATE.

People's Cooperative Mission of 508 Telegraph avenue, will dedicate their Mission No. 2 at 2329 Mission street, San Francisco, Sunday, 2 p. m., after which refreshments will be served. Services continued at 6 o'clock. All are cordially invited. Mrs. Hooker McEvoy.

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Good to Read.

"Silver Bells" is a novel by Lieutenant Colonel Andrew Hargard. Under the thin veneer of conventionality and custom lurks, in many hearts, the primeval instinct to throw civilization to the winds and hark back to the ways of savages, in the wilderness, and it often requires but a mental crisis or an emotional upheaval to break through the coating. Geofreys Digby was such an one, who left home and kindred to seek happiness among the Indians of Canada in the vast woods which always hold an undefinable mystery and fascination. He gained renown as a mighty hunter, and the tale of his life there and the romance which awaited him will be heartily enjoyed by all who like a good love-story, with plenty of action. "Silver Bells," the Indian girl, is a perfect child of nature. The book is published by L. C. Page & Co., Boston, and retails for \$1.50.

LA CAPTAIN OF MEN.

"A Captain of Men" is a tale of Tyre. It is the story of three merchant princes who discovered the value of tin brought untold riches into the country and afforded ducates seekers without number to those ducates seekers for the mines. Merodach, the Assyrian; Tanith, the daughter of the richest merchant of Tyre; Miriam, her Hebrew slave, and the dwarf Elram, who was the greatest artist of his day. Form a quartet of characters hard to surpass in individuality. It has been said that order of the Free Masons has its origin in the meetings which were held in Miriam's studio in Tyre, where gathered the greatest spirits of that age and place. The author of the work, E. Anson More, has given local coloring which is as absolutely accurate as it is possible for any student to obtain, and the hero of the story, Merodach, the Assyrian, is indeed a captain of men. The book has a fine colored frontispiece and the title hero is a charming girl and the sympathetic of the reader goes out to her as a real person. The book is illustrated and published by the John C. Winston Company, Philadelphia, and retails for \$1.50.

SAWDUST.

"Sawdust" is the uninspiring name of a simple romance of the forests of Europe by Dorothea Gerard, author of "The Eternal Woman," "Miss Providence," etc. It presents characters of high and low estate. The beautiful daughter of the proud but poor lord of the Manor is wooed and won by the thrifty owner of the sawmill which so rapidly lays low the primitive forest. The story is a redolent of the breath of life. The heroines, Katherina, a charming girl, and the sympathetic of the reader goes out to her as a real person. The book is illustrated and published by the John C. Winston Company, Philadelphia, and retails for \$1.50.

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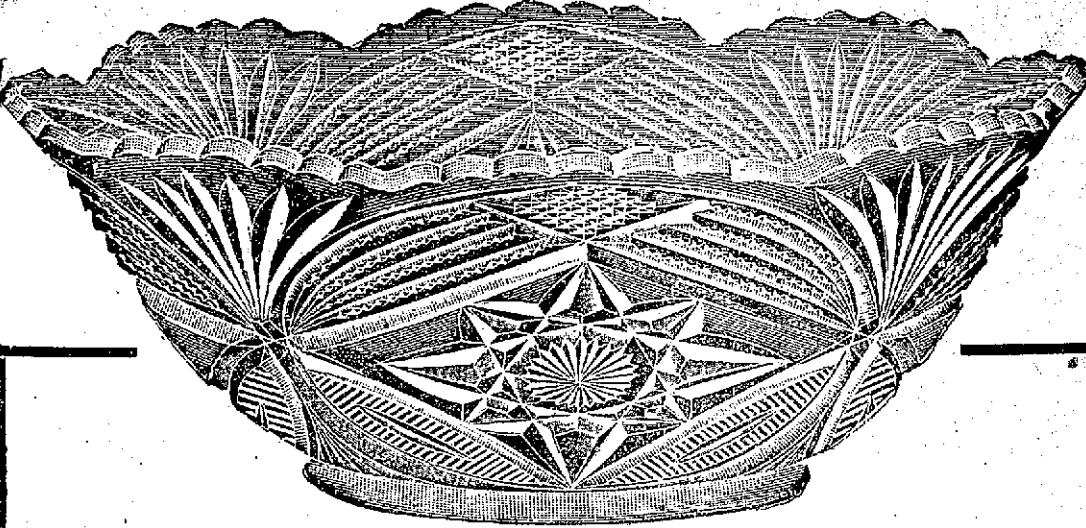
In a practical volume of about 300 pages, William Salter tells in a simple and comprehensive manner the history of Iowa, the first free State in the Louisiana purchase, from its discovery to its admission into the Union. The chronicle covers the period between 1873 and 1916. The author has been a resident of Iowa for sixty years. He has been a close observer of its growth during the greater part of that time. He has collected literature for the study of history with some assiduity and has published a number of articles of an historical character. The early explorers starting with the missionaries of the Black Robe and continuing in chronological order until the achievements of the last one are recorded, are brought to mind in an effective manner. The book is the work of an historian of high standing and is increased by a number of drawings, maps and portraits of early explorers, settlers and Indian chiefs, all of the latter of whom have gone into history. The book is published by L. C. Page & Co., Boston, and retails for \$1.50.

LADY PENELOPE.

"Lady Penelope" by Morley Roberts, is a clever, brilliantly-written novel of modern English society, which is packed with wit and subtle humor and has a plot which rushes along as rapidly as did Lady Penelope and her pursuing lovers, as they raced in their automobiles franticly across the country. Every character in the book is cut as clearly as a cameo, and every one has a distinct value and interest. Lady Penelope has a large number of suitors, and in the art of choosing her husband is original and provocative of delightful situations and truthful incidents. The book is published by L. C. Page & Co., Boston, and retails for \$1.50.

PURPLE PEAKS REMOTE.

Dr. John Merritt Driver, in "Purple Peaks Remote," has given us a tale of the land of the turbulent skies, Rome and Naples being the romantic theater and environment of portions of the work. The story opens with an exciting chapter by Italian bandit, and the introduction of Acerbo, a character who provides one of the principal motifs of the story. Next the historical period of the Roman Empire, and the story continues with the tale of the turbulent skies, Rome and Naples being the romantic theater and environment of portions of the work. The story opens with an exciting chapter by Italian bandit, and the introduction of Acerbo, a character who provides one of the principal motifs of the story. Next the historical period of the Roman Empire, and the story continues with the tale of the turbulent skies, Rome and Naples being the romantic theater and environment of portions of the work. 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ALONG OAKLAND'S
WATERFRONTWHAT'S DOING IN THE VARIOUS
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SHORES.

Business is brisk in the local ship yards, but the work is confined very largely to overhauling and repairing, not new craft are under construction here.

"It's difficult for us to land any new work," said a member of the office force at the W. C. Boole & Son plant this morning. "Only a short time ago we submitted proposals for a steam schooner, but were underbids by firms in the northern ports and the contract went to them. They have an advantage over us in the lumber supply, and then, too, their wage scale for ship carpenters is not so high as here. This makes competition with them very difficult."

FITTING OUT.

The schooner Academy is fitting out at the J. W. Hickey yards and will be in trim in about a week. She has been chartered by the Academy of Sciences, San Francisco, for a voyage to the Galapagos Islands, off Ecuador, for the collection of specimens of unique sea life, both vegetable and animal, which are peculiar to the islands.

The schooner is eighty feet long and of about 100 tons burden. A company of students and professors will take the voyage, which will extend over a year or two.

NEW ENGINES.

At the same yards the schooner Argus is being fitted with two 125 horse-power gasoline engines, built by the Union Gas Engine Company. The use of gasoline engines for the navigation of so large a craft is comparatively new on the coast, though the experiment will undoubtedly be successful. The schooner is owned by C. A. Hooper & Co. and will be employed in the lumber trade.

The steamer Santiago, William Watson, owner, is being converted into an oil carrier for service along the coast. Six boiler-plate compartments are being installed below the decks.

REPAIRS COMPLETE.

At the Pacific ship yards general re-

pairs are complete on the steamer Eureka and she was taken off the ways this afternoon. The steamer has a run between Eureka and San Pedro with passengers and freight.

OVERHAULING.

The yacht Luree, Captain Harry Goodall, is receiving a general overhauling at the Pacific yards, having recently returned from a cruise up on the coast. It is a steam yacht eighty feet in length and was built by the late Charles Fair.

PLACED ON WAYS.

At the yards of W. C. Boole & Son the ship George W. Curtis was placed on the ways this afternoon to be coped.

The Government launch Captain G. Mead, tender of the transport Warren, is undergoing repairs to the engine.

AT SUMMER RESORTS

Arrivals at Tallac are as follows:

San Francisco—Mrs. R. D. McElroy, Miss Ethel A. Currie, W. H. Cameron, R. Martins, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ough, Adolph Roos, Margaret M. Buck, W. H. Davis, W. F. Bogart and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Therkof, Mrs. S. L. Abbott & Son, Mr. John Herd, Clifton Bradford Herd, A. H. Gaine.

Oakland—C. M. Rosengren, P. F. Cross and wife, M. W. Simpson, Mrs. G. W. Braithwaite, Wm. Page, Mrs. John Corning.

Antioch—John Theodore, San Rafael—Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Al-

lens, Mrs. L. F. Stini, Lathrop—Mrs. E. F. Salmon, Pasadena—Frank S. Wallace, Hanford—Dr. Frank Griffith, Lodi—Chas Guggals, A. L. Jacoby, A. McCrae.

Livermore—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson.

Sacramento—Mr. and Mrs. S. Eldred, Mrs. M. Murphy, Miss M. Murphy, San Anselmo—Mrs. J. S. McIntosh.

Merced—Jas. S. Nowell.

Turlock—S. G. Johnson, August Er-

liver, Butterfield, Minn.—B. Rempel.

Honolulu—Mrs. G. E. Halstead, Mrs. A. H. Lachland.

New York—Mr. and Mrs. J. Mey-

ers.

Tonopah—Alfred Hoffman, A. J. Pock, J. Simms, A. D. Nash.

Sacramento—Emil Heinrich, J. W. Halifax, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell W. Nathan.

Denver, Col.—F. M. Davis and wife, Alta, Cal.—W. W. Price.

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Palo Alto—W. K. Fisher, P. J. Treat.

Dutch Flat—W. Heidrich.

Oakland—Brayton Douglas.

Alameda—Mr. and Mrs. Kruski and children.

Bakersfield—Dr. A. M. McIntosh.

BYRON SPRINGS

Following is a list of the arrivals at Byron Springs the past week:

San Francisco—Emil Monto, F. S. Leekie, Mrs. N. Johnson, Geo. Heath, G. M. Keene, A. P. Mather, W. V. Pojman, Louis, R. R. Mather.

D. J. Reitman, Clement A. Bennett, H. L. Strauss, Mrs. E. L. Strauss, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Durbrow, Chas. S. Huff, L. Charles, Jas. A. Wilson, A. Christenson, J. F. Rossi and son W. H. Hammond, P. Klonich, Mrs. Clement Bennett, Herbert Bennett, W.

AT CAMP TAYLOR.

Guests at Camp Taylor Resort are as follows: A. Newman, Miss Myra Lowe, Mrs. Morgan Backus, Lillian Kerrigan, S. Quackenbush, John Harding, E. A. Hermann, Theodore Relinck and family, Fred W. Brinele, Peter Thompson and family, Miss Ermile Ciancone, Miss Carrie Tyrol, Miss Aggie Claussen, Albert H. Menne, William Gerking, C. M. Reichert, Joseph C. Thiley, Tom Nuclaeus, Jacob Schiltz, Tom Simpson, Theo Verhoeven, C. F. Speeling, Carl Schaefer, Dietrich Brune, Louis Kerth, Jacob Schaefer, Dr. Von Bulow, Anton Vogt, Professor Hoffmann, Fred Hansen, Anton J. Pinto, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mayers, Mrs. Mayers, Alfred Mayers, T. L. Whittom, N. Thompson and family, S. P. Elias, Byron D. Bent, J. McDonald, T. J. Wheeler, P. E. Ryan, F. Falk, C. Abrams, J. T. Jaber.

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Among the other notable contributions are: "All-In," a story of frontier life by William H. Bissell; a London letter on Beerbohm Tree's production of "Business Is Business," and criticisms of "The Upstart" at the Columbia Theater and "La Tosca" at the California Theater by Josephine Hart Phelps.

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The San Francisco Eagles are making great preparations to receive them and a jolly time is anticipated. The line of march will be formed at the foot of Market street, ferry depot, at 8:15 p. m., the members leaving Fourteenth and Franklin at 7:30 o'clock.

Oakland Aerie will be accompanied by its famous drum and bugle corps.

The grand excursion and picnic of the Oakland Aerie will take place at Bay View Park, Martinez, Cal., Sunday, June 25.

Round-trip tickets, adults \$1; children between 6 and 12 years 50 cents.

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GREAT SUCCESS ON THE STAGE IS MADE BY MISS OLA HUMPHREY.

Deserved Praise
Given Talented
Actress

VISITS IN OAKLAND.

For the double purpose of renewing friendships formed upon previous visits here, and also to rest after a season of work, Mrs. Edwin Mordant, or Miss Ola Humphrey, as she is known to all players, is visiting friends in this city and about the bay.

This talented actress, who is recognized everywhere by prominent critics and theatrical folk as a representative leading lady and star, has had a very trying season; has worked faithfully, so now deserves the complete rest which she is taking.

WITH FREDERICK WARDE.

It was with Frederick Warde that Miss Humphrey began her theatrical experience, and ever since she has been in leading companies.

Her ability as an emotional actress is recognized. Her rendition of difficult roles has shown her to be possessed of qualities and graces that go to make a genius.

TITLE GIVEN HER.

While starring several years ago with Edwin Mordant in the "Prisoner of Zenda," Miss Humphrey earned the title which was given her, namely, "The Mathilda Herron and the Clara Morris of the present day."

Possessed of youth, beauty, rare talents and emotional temperament, there is no doubt that Miss Humphrey is destined to occupy a place in historic history.

MANY SUCCÉSES.

Playgoers all remember that Miss Humphrey appeared in the "Climbers," "Janice Meredith," "Maneuvers of Jane," "The Wife," "Under Two Flags," "Camilie," "Eichelteu," "Hamlet," "King Lear" and "Virginus."

It was she who originated Klimson in the "Celestial Maiden." Not only has Miss Humphrey appeared in the legitimate, but she has gained prominence in vaudeville. She made a hit in the "Only Prisoner," written for her by Ople Reid.

LATEST SUCCÉSES.

Notable among her late successes



MISS OLA HUMPHREY, the successful emotional actress, who is visiting friends about the bay.

may-be mentioned her appearance as leading lady and star in the romantic play of the eighteenth century, "The Mask of a King," produced under the direction of her husband, Edwin Mordant.

Everywhere have kind words been said of Miss Humphrey. She has pleased all critics with her portrayal of characters, and as an example of what is thought of her the following, which appeared in Town Topics, is quoted:

WORDS OF PRAISE.

"Miss Ola Humphrey, as Elsie De Lignieres, the heroine, projects a piece of work that refuses to be forgotten.

"Strong words will best give a faithful idea of this achievement of hers, and her characteristics as an actress. She is a swan-like creature of more than ordinary beauty. A fragile phys-

NEWSNOTES FROM ALVARADO

MISS WHIPPLE ENTERTAINS 500 CLUB—DECOTO PER. SONALS.

ALVARADO, June 17.—Miss Whipple of Decoto entertained the Five Hundred Club at her home Tuesday evening. The prizes were awarded to Miss Dyer and Ralph Richmond.

O. P. Nauert of Oakland and A. B. Nauert of San Francisco spent Sunday at their home here.

Miss D. Nauert was home last week on account of illness. She returned to her friends in San Francisco Wednesday.

Mrs. O. J. Emery and children and Miss Paris have gone to San Simeon to visit friends and relatives.

Will Alligune has gone to Reno, where he has accepted a position with the gas company.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cronin and children will leave for New York the first of the month. Mr. Cronin has accepted a position in the sugar mill there.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dyer have returned to Alvarado, after spending three months in the East.

The druggist is now settled in his new building. It is quite an improvement to the town.

The last assembly of the Cotton Club took place in Coopersville Saturday evening. The hall was simply but prettily decorated, the music unusually fine, and a good attendance, so the dance was a success in every way. It is hoped the club will reorganize again this coming winter.

The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. John Ralph Thursday. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. L. Farley.

Miss Elsie Jacobs of the city was the guest of Miss Oscarra Nauert for the Cotton Club dance.

Dr. Reinhardt and Victor Henderson of Berkley attended the Cotton Club dance and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burr.

Miss Dyer has returned from a week's stay in the city.

THE MICROSCOPE

Proves That Parasites Cause Hair Loss.

Nine-tenths of the diseases of the scalp and hair are caused by parasitic germs. The importance of this discovery by Professor Unna, of the Charity Hospital, Hamburg, Germany, can not be overestimated. It explains why ordinary hair preparations, even of the most expensive character fail to cure dandruff, because they do not, and they cannot kill the dandruff germ. The only hair preparation in the world that positively destroys the parasites that grow on the scalp into scabs called scalp disease is Newboro's Hairside. In addition to its destroying the dandruff germ Hairside is also a delightful hair dresser. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamp for sample to The Hirschfeld Company, Detroit, Michigan.

AT WEBBER LAKE.

Guests at Webber Lake are as follows: Oakland—John B. Jordan, William Barnard, J. W. Orce, Clarence M. Reed, Lyle M. Brown, H. E. York, R. N. Graham, L. L. Burpee, Mrs. Burpee, Miss Hazel Burpee, Master Donald Burpee, E. L. Burpee, Mrs. McKeavy, Miss Irene McKeavy, Elizabeth Dearwater, Serraville—Miss Lois Lipscombe, Berkeley—Charles W. Peterson, San Francisco—A. L. Langerman, Ell Marks, Reno—W. S. Barton, San Jose—Ralph Lowe, Sacramento—Mr. Parazzo, Joe Parazzo, Nevada City—Mr. Danforth, Fishing is very good at the lake this year.

Bowmar & Company special agents.

REPLY OF FRANCE IS AWAITED

Seeks Germany's Desires in Morocco Con- troversy.

PARIS, June 17.—The efforts to secure a diplomatic adjustment of the Franco-German controversy relative to Morocco remain without definite results, and the negotiations, while not suspended, made practically no progress. France has not given her final response to Germany's movement for an international conference and the officials do not confirm the German press reports that France has definitely rejected the proposal for a conference.

For the present Premier Rouvier is turning his efforts toward learning what Germany desires to accomplish by a conference, and it is the view in official quarters that some of the chief objections to the conference may be removed by having its plans and purposes exactly defined.

In the meantime sentiment in high quarters remains most solicitous concerning the outcome of the negotiations and sinister reports circulate concerning the possibilities resulting from a complete failure to reach a diplomatic adjustment.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Germany and France will not come to a clash over Morocco, unless reassuring official cables reaching Washington over night from the two European capitals correctly represent the situation. Two weeks ago the situation was exceedingly delicate. It has been relieved somewhat by the resignation of Delcasse.

It can be announced that the negotiations at Paris between M. Pouvier, the new Minister for Foreign Affairs, and Prince von Radolin, the German Ambassador, are progressing slowly but with good will on both sides, and that "things between France and Germany are moving harmoniously, and it will soon be possible to straighten out existing tangles."

The Washington government is fully informed about every move and the feeling here in the highest official circles is not one of uneasiness. The undoubted disturbance of feeling in Paris over Germany's policy is not traceable to anything actually aggressive, the German government has done or is preparing to do. It is probably due to the feeling of weakness that has been developed among the French since Admiral Roströmky lost the sea-fight and the corresponding relative increase in German confidence since it has become evident that Russia need not be for the present reckoned with. The thought in the government, in the army and in the press is that Germany in a military sense has now become master of the Continent and that, being so, France and every other continental power should recognize that in diplomacy also Germany has risen to the first place and must be dealt with as the paramount power.

The floral decorations of the home were elaborate and beautiful. The parlor, where the ceremony took place, was trimmed with palms and braches. The wedding party met under an exquisite canopy of white sweet peas and maidenhair ferns. The bride was attractive in a gown of blue silk.

MISS RICKETTS A BRIDE.



MRS. CLAUDE L. ASSALENA.

The wedding of Miss Georgia May Ricketts and Claude L. Assalena took place Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ricketts, of No. 1493 Chestnut street. The ceremony was performed at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. Charles Walkley, of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and was witnessed by a company of about thirty guests, including only the immediate relatives and a few close friends of the bride and groom.

Following the ceremony the guests were served with a wedding supper. The dining-room was decorated with pink and lavender sweet peas and the library with red carnations and ferns. The young couple will make their home with the bride's parents. The groom is the son of Mrs. C. E. Robinson, of Alameda, and is a progressive young business man of this city. He now occupies the position of floor manager at H. C. Capwell's Lace House.

Among the guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Cordes, of Gilroy. She was attended by Miss Harriet Viers, of San Jose, as bridesmaid, who wore champagne colored silk. The best man was William Simpson, of San Francisco.

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AGAINST UNITED STATES

Says Russia Has Ameri- can Government to Fear.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—The note of the Foreign Office announcing that the negotiations for the meeting of the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries were proceeding rapidly was printed without comment in the morning papers, but the press of all shades of opinion is discussing Japan's probable terms and declares with practical unanimity for a continuation of the war rather than the acceptance of humiliating conditions.

In this the newspapers are upheld by public opinion which is veering around to support of the war policy if Japan's terms prove too hard.

One of the most prominent advises Russia that she need not balk at the payment of an indemnity, the cession of the island of Sakhalin, the renunciation of her right to keep warships in Far Eastern waters or the surrender of Vladivostok, but the paper holds that Russia must retain northern Manchuria and the Vladivostok railroad.

The Bourse Gazette, which draws a gloomy picture of Russia's relations with France, Great Britain, Germany and America, the Novoe Vremya and the reactionaries, Soviet sound notes against the United States.

The Novoe Vremya reiterates that Russia's chief enemies in the Far East are not the Japanese, but the British and Americans on account of their commercial rivalry, while the Soviet objects to Washington as the place of meeting the plenipotentiaries, declaring that the atmosphere there is unfriendly, and asserting that Russia's representatives will be subject to pressure of their enemy's ally.

All the papers comment on the retirement of Grand Duke Alexis from the office of High Admiral, and a general feeling of relief is manifested at the fact that the present naval regime is ended.

"Thank the Lord!" cried Hiram Plant, of Little Rock, Ark. "We didn't get from Uncle Tom's America Salve. It cured me of running sores, which nothing else would heal, and from which I had suffered for 5 years." It is a marvelous healer for sores and wounds. Guaranteed at Osgood's Drug Stores, Twelfth and Washington, and Seventh and Broadway, 25 cents.

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TO AID VISITORS AT PORTLAND FAIR

The Portland people are alive to the interests of visitors to the fair there and what is known as the Portland Service Company has been formed for the purpose of taking from strangers the burden of hunting for hotels or stopping places on their arrival among the crowds in a strange city. To do away with the inconvenience attendant in such cases there has been framed what is known as the Portland Service Company, which secures your accommodations, at the price you wish to pay, in advance and upon your arrival they are ready for you. The procedure is this:

The Portland Service Company is incorporated at Portland and has established agencies through all the principal towns of the Pacific Coast. You pay \$1 and receive a duplicate receipt, one-half of which is forwarded to the Portland Service Company, which immediately forwards to you blanks to

fill out, asking the kind of accommodations you require, and then previous to your departure you drop them a postal card which they send you. Upon your arrival at Portland they have uniformed messengers who will take you to the place secured for you, also taking care of your baggage and giving you what information you desire without further charge.

Whooping Cough in Jamaica.

Mr. J. Riley Bennett, a chemist of Brown's Town, Jamaica, West India Islands, writes: "I cannot speak too highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has proved itself to be the best remedy for whooping cough which I have seen on this end of the globe. It has never failed to relieve in any case where I have recommended it, and grateful mothers, after using it, are daily thanking me for advising them to take it. It is sold by Osgood Bros., corner 12th and Washington streets and corner 7th and Broadway.

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Gossip About Mayoralty
Contest Across the
Bay.

THE KNAVE

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—"Wanted a candidate for Mayor."

Such is the legend hung in the headquarters of the Republican League, in the office of the Citizens' Alliance, in the headquarters of the Grand Jury, over the entrance to the office of Gavin McNab, in fact, everywhere the politicians do most assemble save in the sacred vestibule where Abraham Ruef holds sway.

There and there only in all political San Francisco is the sign absent, for Abe has a candidate and his candidate will be a winner without half trying.

It looks now as though Schmitz' election is a certainty. He has a large and influential following and the rising of each sun adds to his strength. Some men grow weak as the days fit by, but not so Schmitz. It is impossible for his enemies to keep quiet and the more they say about and against him the stronger he grows. All he need be afraid of is that the people hired to traduce and defame him will become silent. The only thing I can think of that could bring about the defeat of Schmitz under existing circumstances is silence. However, there is no fear of the Mayor's enemies shutting their mouths, for they are all so deeply committed to a campaign of vilification that they must increase, rather than diminish, their filth slinging.

While there can be no question that Schmitz has made a number of grievous mistakes since his election to public office he has also accomplished a number of desirable reforms. Of course the biggest thing he has thus far done is the wholesale manner in which he took hold of the Geary street road proposition. From the beginning the Mayor has always favored municipal ownership notwithstanding the declarations of his avowed enemies. Some say that he favored municipal ownership of the street railroads for the single purpose of strengthening his political machine. Anyone with half an eye can see that if the municipality manipulated the street railway systems the political party in power would have almost unequalled patronage. But I do not for a moment believe that Schmitz had any such selfish motive in mind when he declared in favor of the Geary street proposition. I am convinced that he first favored turning over the management of the Geary street road to the taxpayers when he fully realized the farcical manner in which that branch of rapid transit has been managed by the corporation which at present controls it.

Some of the Mayor's opponents, without any regard for the truth, have published that he has advocated municipal ownership of street railroads only in spots. These people should read the platform of the Labor party, on which Schmitz has been twice elected, before they make such foolish statements. In each of the platforms on which Schmitz made his fights the municipal ownership planks have stood out like sore thumbs in

SCALE MOUNTAIN AT NIGHT

PARTY OF YOUNG PEOPLE TO
VIEW SUNRISE FROM
TAMALPAIS.

POINT RICHMOND, June 17.—A party of ladies and gentlemen of this city will climb the rugged heights of Mt. Tamalpais tonight to witness a sunrise from its towering summit. They will start from Ross Valley in the evening and make the climb up the trail at about 10 o'clock. After viewing the landscape the party will start down the mountain, and after reaching a sheltered spot will stop and cook breakfast.

Those who will undertake the journey from this city are: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Erskine, Messrs. Albert Fagerstrom, Peter Negley, Esther Atchmore, Misses Edith Gandy, Wade Wadsworth, and Dorothea. They will be accompanied by a large crowd from San Francisco.

IS STILL ALIVE.

Joe Gular, the unfortunate young man who fell from the top of one of the new tall towers of the Standard Oil at the 12th C. O. works yesterday afternoon is still living. He is lying at the residence of Dr. Abbott on Santa Fe and Potrero avenue, having been brought there by his friends to move him until there is a change.

There is little prospect for his recovery. His skull is shattered and the surgeons took out one piece almost as large as a human hand. He is still living day or two, but we can scarcely get well.

BRIEFLETS.

George W. Whiteley is moving his steam shovel from the oil works to the city. Before going, however, he scooped out enough sand to make a fine dugout for the acid plant. It is understood that the third installment may be built yet this year.

Mrs. A. L. Bayless is building a home at the corner of First and Bissell streets.

It will have five rooms with modern finish throughout.

STEAMSHIP PLANS.

LONDON, June 17.—The Royal Mail Steamer Packet Company is considering a proposition to run a line of passenger steamers from Southampton to New York, calling at Cherbourg on the westbound trip and at Plymouth and Cherbourg on the eastbound trip. This announcement was made tonight in a quiet room.

Santa Fe may checks will be flying around tonight and tomorrow. A few miles away like the

train, the railroad boys report the mercury at 108 down there the past few days.

The Associated Press is sending in a cable and a lot of clothing belonging to the occupant went up in smoke.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schoen will leave

tonight via Portland for Kansas City, charter a number of suitable vessels,

the eyes of the corporations and the political bosses subservient to corporation rule.

And when you come to examine the other wild charges against the Mayor you will find there is about as much ground for them as for the attacks based upon his alleged antipathy to municipal ownership. No matter what Schmitz says or does there are organized bands of his opponents to see that he is misrepresented.

And the strange part of it all is that these enemies are far too shortsighted to realize that their campaign of lies can but have a reactionary effect.

Now who are the men the anti-Schmitz forces have selected as possible candidates to defeat the Mayor? Most of them are gentlemen who have already been repudiated by the voters or persons of the stripe that voters love to repudiate.

They are:

T. P. Andrews, foreman of the Grand Jury.

Fairfax H. Wheelan, reformer and son of one of the late Sam Rainey's most practical performers.

John Lachmann, one time Supervisor and sometimes Sheriff, also groceryman.

Supervisor Brandenstein, who worships at the shrine of Gavin McNab.

Auditor Harry Baehr.

Treasurer John McDougald.

George A. Knight.

For the last three gentlemen I have to apologize. Why Harry Baehr should desire to seek oblivion I cannot for the life of me understand. Why John McDougald wants to throw away his future is also an enigma to me. And why George A. Knight permits the reformers to even mention his name in connection with their obnoxious schemes is a puzzle indeed, for George A. Knight is without doubt one of the biggest and best loved citizens in all California. He is known in the East as well as he is known in the West. From the Atlantic to the Pacific he stands in the foremost rank of broad gauged Republicans. He is the particular friend of President Roosevelt and for a decade no national Republican convention has missed the magic of his voice. The more I think of it the more I am convinced that Knight is in no way responsible for the manner in which these people have juggled with his name and I guess he is too big to go out of his way to publicly call them to account. He has personally assured me that he would not take the nomination for Mayor even if it were accompanied by a certificate of election.

This fight for the Mayoralty is to be a campaign of stuff. Colonel Mayuma will boldly strut up and down Kearny and Market streets flourishing his sword and clinking his spurs. His armor of silver will gleam in the sunlight and his pot of gold

will be spilled on the bars of the saloons and the tables of the cafes all day long and far into the night. He will be open and above boards for once in his life. The Colonel, however, will not be allied with any one party, nor will he advocate the election of any particular individual. He will be for all, for each party and every candidate will see to it that the Colonel is properly enrolled under their various standards.

The Citizens' Alliance has announced that it will spend a small fortune to defeat Schmitz and the Schmitz people are not a bit backward in replying that they too will have a few dimes to squander to help along Eugene. The Republican Reformers think that former Mayor Phelan will give them "substantial" aid should they nominate a man not distasteful to McNab that can put up a good fight. So the chances for the pan handlers are splendid. I should say that at least half a million dollars will be spent during the coming campaign. That will make the old-time hoodlums turn in their graves. This is now indeed a prosperous city.

Another fight that promises to furnish all sorts of excitement is the coming battle for District Attorney. Thus far the scrap is confined to the Democrats. Lewis F. Byington, the incumbent, is anxious to succeed himself and has lined up his forces in a really formidable manner. He is in a measure anti-McNab, but at a pinch would be willing to join hands with the canny Scot if he thought such a combination would in any way help him. However the crafty Gavin hates Byington body and soul, because he can never hope to handle him nor control the patronage of his office. And on the other hand Byington despises McNab, because he does not feel that he can trust him as far as the naked eye can see—and Byington is near sighted.

McNab's secret candidate to succeed Byington is Supervisor Brandenstein.

This row about the Schmitz Central Club assessments is simply funny. All political clubs levy assessments. The Union League Club assesses its members just the same as does the Schmitz Central Club. And there is not a public official in the City Hall with a patronage office that does not levy a monthly assessment on each man on his pay roll.

While the Republicans are now rowing among themselves over the nomination everyone takes it for granted that Abe Ruef has retired so far as the August primary is concerned and will make no effort to capture the convention. Today I heard that Ruef is seriously thinking of giving his rivals a battle at the primary. If he does, who is so wise that he dare predict the outcome in print.

FARMER VICTIM OF SHARPS

SWINDLED OUT OF \$25 AND
THEN IS ROBBED OF
\$460.

NEW YORK, June 17.—A sad experience with city sharpers has come into the life of Charles M. Brower, a truck farmer hailing from Hickory, N. C. Just now he's at a loss as to how to get back home, having been relieved of all his funds.

Some weeks ago Brower received a letter offering him a farm in New Jersey near this city. The price was small and he sent on \$25 to bind the bargain. Donning his best clothes he then set out for New York to inspect the farm. In his wallet were five \$100 bills. Upon arriving Brower met the real estate agent and visited the New Jersey farm with him. The land was nothing but a swamp, and in a rage the old man demanded that his \$25 be returned. The real estate agent laughed at him, but Brower had heard of District Attorney Jerome and to him he went. An investigation was made, with the result that a warrant was issued for the real estate dealer.

The old farmer was waiting about the Criminal Courts building to see his prisoner, when he began to agitate over the expense of living in New York, and unmindful of the passing pedestrians sat down upon the stairs to figure up what he had spent and count his money. There was still a balance of \$460 in the wallet.

"How did I spend that \$460?" he asked himself, and placing the wallet beside his papers on the steps Brower began to figure up what had become of the money. A thief saw the wallet, a skilful kick sent it down the steps without the old man noticing it and soon wallet and thief were far away.

"Got to be careful with the rest," said Brower, as he reached for the wallet. Then he saw there was none. His shouts attracted every one in the Courthouse, but to no purpose. Detectives were called, but they have no hope of recovering Brower's savings.

Silence is golden and some remarks are very brassy.

WILL LIVE IN THE SOUTH. WILL PICNIC AT FERNBROOK



MRS. HALLEY H. BALL

Wednesday evening, June 14, at the residence of the bride's parents,

2020 Crestnut street, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brain, Miss Emily Brain was

united in wedlock by the Rev. Ansley B. Blades, to Halley H. Ball.

The decorations were of sweet peas, palms and a white floral bell.

Mr. Ball is well known in his home town Los Angeles, where he is connected

with a wholesale grocery house.

The ceremony occurred at 9 p. m. and the happy pair departed on the wedding tour. The wedding supper was attended by the relatives and immediate friends, who made merry until a late hour. The future home will be in Los Angeles.

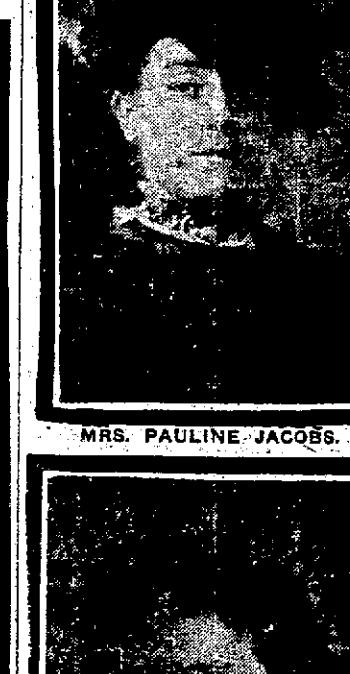


MRS. M. J. O'DAY.

An excursion and picnic will be given by the Banner Club of Court Imperial, No. 208, and Court Oakland, No. 45, at Fernbrook Park, Niles Canyon, Sunday, June 18. There will be union music and prizes. Trains will leave First and Broadway, 5:30 a. m.

The picnic will be conducted on first-class lines and will be in charge of a joint committee representing both Court Oakland and Court Imperial.

Mrs. M. J. O'Day, Mrs. Pauline Jacobs and Mrs. F. M. Ritter are working hard to make the picnic a success.



MRS. F. M. RITTER.

THE MEDDLER

A QUIET WEEK.

It has not been a brilliant week socially, and, indeed, we could scarcely expect it, for it is now the middle of

takes the form of the shower. For the most part these are composed of pretty, dainty, inexpensive gifts, either of home manufacture or of trifles to be found in the shops. When this is the

trifles. Belvedere home. The return of the Hellmans will doubtless be the motive of considerable entertainment in the fall as they are society people and extremely popular and hospitable.

HAVE TAKEN THE DUNSMUIR PLACE.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hellman Jr., with their three children, a retinue of servants and a big automobile, have arrived to take possession of Edna Wallace Hopper's place near San Leandro. This was formerly the Tompkins breeding farm, and is a most attractive home in which to pass the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Hellman will entertain many weekend parties here.

FASHIONABLE DEL MONTE.

Of course the fashionable thing to do is to spend July and August at Del Monte, or to divide the two months between Tahoe Tavern and Monterey.

rim of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, and from there the party went directly to Pike's Peak, which they ascended. From there the train went to Niagara Falls over the Denver and Rio Grande. At the Falls the business meeting of the Shriners was held, and from there the party will return by way of New York City, Washington, the Yellowstone and Portland. The regular trip is but four weeks long, but many of the travelers will prolong their stay. Among others who went on this trip were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sloan of San Francisco.

Mr. R. C. Craft returned on Thursday from two months spent in visiting Eastern relatives and friends.

OAKLAND NIGHT AT THE MAJESTIC.

A large number of Oaklanders witnessed the performance of Mrs. Fiske at the Majestic theater on Wednesday evening. I believe Mrs. Fiske will not play on this side of the bay, so tonight

up a creek, or climbing mountains with a gun on his shoulder, or perhaps he plans a strenuous summer with the Sierra club.

It is generally work of the hardest kind only it is the kind of work he wants to do, and that makes all the difference in the world.

People are coming and going all the time, and there are always people enough at home to make a busy summer, and we plan for each other all sorts of interesting events.

MRS. LEWIS ACTIVE.

Margaret Cameron (Mrs. Lewis) has a story in the June Harper's, and in the June Sunset. Mrs. Lewis lives in New York, and is a hard worker. She has recently written a clever playlet called "The Player's Pay," which has been performed by one of the dramatic schools in New York.

TEA AT THE WHITNEY HOME.

One of the largest social affairs of the week was the tea given on Wednesday, at the Whitney home on Adeline street. The hostess was Mrs. Walter Hughes Henry, formerly Miss Mary Whitney, who entertained in honor of Miss Ethel Whitney and Miss Lillian Downey.

Miss Whitney is spending the summer with her mother and sisters, and Miss Lillian Downey has just returned from a trip abroad lasting several months.

The Whitney home was very pretty indeed, for this early summer tea. There is one thing about a summer tea, you can have the windows all up, and there is the great world of out doors for a background. In winter, the days are so short that the gas must be

cock. Mrs. Harry East Miller, Miss Pendleton, Mrs. Frank McLaughlin, Mrs. Van Denburgh, Miss Katherine Van Denburgh, Mrs. C. B. Morgan, Mrs. Hart North, Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Egely, Mrs. Alfred Eastland, Miss Wheaton, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. William H. Morrison, Miss Horton, Miss Mary Horton, Miss Georgie Strong, Miss Jean Downey, Miss Carolyn Palmer, Miss Viva Nicholson, Miss May Coogan, Miss Ethel Crellin, Miss Edith Whitney, Miss Letty Barry, and Miss Anita Thomson.

CRANES TO GO TO DECOTO.

The Carlton Cranes are to spend some time this summer at their quaint summer home, "Carlton Orchard," at Decoto.

Miss Helen Crane will not go to Decoto this summer; she is going East with friends, and will spend some time among the delightful and historic cities of Canada.

OAKLAND PEOPLE IN EAST.

The summer is well on in the East, and many people whom we know well on this coast have left New York.

Mrs. Herman Oelrichs is opening "Rosecliff," her picturesque villa at Newport, and she is to give there one of the most gorgeous dances of the year, having brought from Paris all her cotillion favors.

The Willkie Vanderbilt's are to be her guests this summer, and Mrs. Oelrichs will be assisted in entertaining by her sister, Mrs. Vanderbilt, formerly Miss Birdie Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hampton Lynch, formerly Miss Lucy Mordt, have closed their large town house in New York, and with their children have

Clay make up a merry party who are spending the week at Princeton, having gone there for the commencement exercises. Mr. Crawford is a graduate of Princeton.

On their return the Crawfords will close their New York house, and go to Seabright, where they have a most picturesque country home.

Mrs. J. M. Driscoll is still in New York, awaiting the arrival from Europe of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Driscoll.

SAILED FOR EUROPE.

News notes from abroad make mention of many people we know. Doctor and Mrs. Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Al Moore sailed from New York recently on one of the fast liners, going directly to France, where their vacation will be spent in an automobile trip through the country districts.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and Miss Bessie Palmer sail in the immediate future for New York, having spent almost a year on the continent. In London they met Mrs. Clift and her daughter, who are still in England. The London social season is directly the reverse of our own. It is at its height in May and June.

Later in the summer Mrs. Clift and Miss Jean Clift will go to Switzerland. The Redings are still in Scotland and they expect to sail for home in July.

Miss Saltonstall and Miss Gertrude Ballard, who recently graduated from Vassar, are to spend the entire year abroad. They are to study in Paris and Germany.

The Ballards have decided not to rebuild their country home at Claremont, which was destroyed some months ago by fire. The building site will probably follow the fate of other tracts, and be cut up into town lots. If progress keeps up its present pace, Oakland will have town lots on the summit of the Coast Range.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hubbard, Sr. and Mr. Samuel Hubbard, Jr., have been recently in London, for the latter was married there on the eleventh to Miss Josephine Wolsburger, of Austria.

Among the news notes from abroad comes the message that the bride is very beautiful, and that she is an accomplished girl. Among women of high rank abroad, that goes without saying. We cannot hold a candle to the foreigners when it comes to music and language. Music is their inheritance—theirs since the middle ages—and they all have the gift of languages. All educated women abroad speak fluently, two and sometimes three, languages.

Many of us speak English indifferently well, and as for our French—well the French of the average American is sometimes a wonder.

MISS ISAACS TO GO EAST.

Miss Lillian Isaacs, the very pretty and popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Isaacs leaves in a few days for the East and Europe. Miss Isaacs



MISS JESSIE COBB
BUSHNELL PHOTO



MRS. WILLIAM G. DANDY
WEBSTER PHOTO



MISS HARRIET KINNEER
BUSHNELL PHOTO



MISS EDNA TRETHEWAY
SCHARZ PHOTO



MRS. BEATRICE PRIEST-FINE

June, and we are scarcely aware of it, so swiftly and silently has the summer crept upon us. Now that school is closed, almost everyone will go to the country, for there is quite a considerable exodus this year. Because of the late rains and snows, the falls in Yosemite were never finer than this year, and so many people are going to Yosemite, or are already there. Among those who will stay for several weeks are the Willis Watts, who are having a most delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson did not go to Yosemite this summer as usual. They were there in the spring, but are now at the Clift ranch in Contra Costa county, where they are spending a quiet summer, and where Mr. Wilson is able to make frequent visits to San Francisco. Mr. Wilson has just embarked in a new business, and has bought a seat as a broker on the stock and bond exchange in San Francisco. He is such a popular fellow, with such hosts of friends that he has already a far larger clientele than many older men who have been in the business for years. Miss Florence Clift is staying with the Wilsons.

LEAVING FOR PORTLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Hush, Miss Florence Hush, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee and the Misses Walter and Valentine Hush are among those who will leave for the Lewis and Clark Exposition next week. They are going north Thursday and will remain at the Fair as long as it interests them. Next Tuesday evening the Hushes entertain J. Russell Selfridge and a few others at a dinner. Mr. Selfridge, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Selfridge of San Francisco, has been absent from San Francisco, with occasional visits home, for nearly eight years. He is a University of California man, a prominent fraternity man, being a member of Phi Gamma Delta, and a charming fellow. Much of his time abroad was spent at Geneva, Cowes and Glasgow, where he was engaged in electrical construction.

On his way home Mr. Selfridge spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson Wells at their charming home in Burlington, Vermont. While there Mr. Selfridge went on trips in the Wells' yacht and in their automobile. Last week Mr. Selfridge was the guest at dinner of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butters. Mrs. Butters and Mrs. Selfridge are cousins.

AT CLEAR LAKE.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lynham Shieh, Mrs. Bennett and the Misses Shieh left on Saturday for their summer outing at Clear Lake, where they expect to spend three months, and where they have taken a cottage for the summer. They took their servants with them and expect to be very comfortable. Going up they stayed over night at Ukiah, so as to take the early morning stage and pass over the charming route by daylight. Lake county is still free from dust because of the late rains which make the country unusually beautiful this summer.

"SHOWERS" ARE QUITE THE RAGE.

There are so many brides-to-be just now, in spite of the numerous June weddings, that almost all entertaining

is the last opportunity Oakland people will have to see her. Mrs. Fiske is in much better health than when she was here a year ago, though her enunciation is not yet as distinct as one would like. She has most excellent support, with three as good actors in the parts of Klesha, Berton and Schramme as one could possibly wish to see. Sylvaine is so "preachy" that it is difficult to criticize his performance. The women, too, are good, notably Mrs. Fiske's niece, pretty Emily Stevens, and the woman who does the bit of the French cocotte, Sophie. The houses have been large and the auditorium enthusiastic over the most unusual play of the year, with the most unusual situations.

On Wednesday evening a large box party was given by Mr. and Mrs. John Conners, among their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Dallam and Mr. and Mrs. Borneham. In the house were Mr. and Mrs. William Angus, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Miss Walsh, Mr. Strong, Miss Georgie Strong and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Bachus, also from Oakland; Miss Alice Hager was in a lorgue with her brother-in-law, Mr. Walter E. Dean, and there was also to be noticed Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Beverly Macomber, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Donahoe and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Page.

VISITING THE EASTERN STATES.

Mr. and Mrs. William Penn Humphreys, the latter very recently Miss Paula Wolff, are enjoying a trip East this summer. They went on the special train of Mystic Shriners, in which organization Mr. Humphreys is prominent. The Shriners expect to have a charming time. Their special train left over the Santa Fe on Monday evening. The first stop was made on the out to rest you will find him fishing at Hampton, Miss Wellman, Mrs. Bab-

lighted, or the electric lights turned on, and with the low ceilings of today, the result is simply disastrous. You know you look your very worst, and that is not conducive to sociability.

But in a summer tea, you look out upon a beautiful garden, the fragrance of flowers is all about you, all your world is in festive array, and you find yourself lingering long, and at length saying a reluctant goodbye to your hostess.

The drawing room at the Whitney home presented a very charming picture, the guests were in summer gowns and every detail marked an interesting summer tea.

The decorations were carried out with quantities of sweet peas, artistically arranged, and the dining room was a blaze of color, with superb masses of scarlet poppies.

The Whitneys have lived here so long that there were a great many old and prominent families represented on their list, and the afternoon showed in many cases, a delightful reunion of old friends.

Mrs. Whitney, with Miss Violet and Miss Anita Whitney presided in the dining room, and made the guests of the day very welcome.

Among the callers of the afternoon were Mrs. George McNear, senior, Miss Bessie McNear, Mrs. F. E. Bowles, Mrs. C. C. Clay, Miss Wellman, Mrs. A. S. Macdonald, Miss Berenice Macdonald, Miss Amy McKee, Miss Emma Mahoney, Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, Miss Mona Crellin, Mrs. Fred Whitney, Mrs. George H. Wheaton, Mrs. Edson Adams, Miss Ella Strett, Miss Wheaton, Mrs. A. D. Thomson, the Misses Conners, Mrs. George Hammer, Mrs. J. Loran Pease, Mrs. Gordon Stolp, Mrs. Frederick Cutting, Mrs. Alexander Marx, Mrs. Thomas Pheby, Mrs. J. T. Wright, Mrs. John Clay, Mrs. Margaret Sinclair and Miss Madeline

gones to the country for the summer.

They are to spend the next few months in a delightful old country home at Ridgefield, Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Harden Crawford, Miss Margaret Sinclair and Miss Madeline

will be chaperoned by Miss Florence Hanna, of the High School. Miss Isaacs has much artistic talent, and during her stay abroad, she will spend some time in studying art in Paris.

She is very popular with the young

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er set of girls, and she is regarded as one of the most beautiful girls in the Lakeside district.

MISS GARBER COMING HOME.

Miss Juliet Garber is coming home much earlier than was originally planned. She has had a most delightful stay in Paris and leaves that picturesquely city with much regret. Judge and Mrs. Garber are planning to spend the summer at the Hotel Vendome.

MANY GOING NORTH.

The great Northwest appeals to many this year, and wanderers from all over the Union will find their way to the Portland exposition.

In Portland, recently, Vice-President and Mrs. Fairbanks gave an elaborate reception, and among their guests were Governor and Mrs. Pardee. The latter was beautifully gowned.

Among recent guests at Portland were Miss Penniman and the Misses Pardee.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Davis are going to Portland this year, and so are Mr. and Mrs. George Clarke Davis.

On the first of July the J. R. Burnhams leave for Oregon and the Puget Sound district, spending some time of course, at the Portland exposition. It is not a very good country for automobile, but if it is possible to do much in that line, one may be sure the opportunity will be grasped by Mr. Burnham.

Mr. Frank L. Brown has returned from a business trip to New York and Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown leave on Wednesday for Portland, and Miss Katherine Brown will join them early in July.

PREFER SEASHORE IN SUMMER.

There are those who always prefer the seashore in summer, and so one hears a good deal these days of Santa Cruz, Monterey and Santa Barbara.

Mrs. Requa and her little granddaughters are spending the week at Santa Cruz, and it is very gay just now, in that little city by the sea.

The automobile run took down many enthusiastic automobileists, among them the Burnhams and the Fred A. Jacobs. The latter while in Santa Cruz were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Jeter.

Mrs. E. J. Cotton has relatives in Santa Cruz, where she used to live, and so she is often there. The F. O. Hihns are among the best known people of Santa Cruz County, as they are also among the wealthiest, and Mrs. Hihns is Mrs. Cotton's sister.

The Goodfellowes will be at Capitolia this summer. Mr. W. S. Goodfellow is devoted to fishing and yachting, so his summers are usually spent on the coast.

SOME GO TO MOUNTAINS.

If it is not the seashore, then it must be the mountains, and there are families who go to the same place in the mountains every summer. The Schillings usually go to the Sierras, and others are already entertaining guests

to well known places about Lake Tahoe.

The Edson Adams leave this week for Tahoe, and every year for many seasons the Fred Magees have gone there.

They love nothing better than unique expeditions through the mountains about Tahoe, and though they have been lost several times, and the expeditions are fraught with danger, they are always ready to go again.

Hon. F. S. Stratton has gone to the mountains of Southern Oregon, for a six weeks' fishing and hunting trip.

Miss Cornelia Stratton has been very ill this summer of typhoid fever, but she is now out of danger, and when she is able, she also will go away for the summer.

Miss Florinne Brown has gone to the mountains, to visit Mrs. Charles Bliss, who has a country home in the Sierras near Truckee. Mrs. Bliss will also entertain her sister this year, the Misses Alice and Ruth Knowles.

HEWLETT GO SOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hewlett, formerly Miss Ione Fore, left last week for Los Angeles, planning to make their future home in the southern part of the State. Mr. Hewlett is an able young lawyer and he will begin the practice of his profession in Los Angeles.

PALMERS ARE ENTERTAINING.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Palmer are entertaining a good deal this summer. They are at the Holbrook country home in Menlo Park, and each week's end sees a houseparty which is sure to be delightfully entertained.

BULKLEYS LEAVE LOS GATOS.

The Milton Bulkleys have left Los Gatos and have gone for the summer to the mountains near Colfax. Mr. Bulkley was quite distressed over the incorrect reports of his failing health.

He has quite recovered from his attack of illness, and after his summer in the mountains he will be quite ready to take up his business cares again.

Mr. and Mrs. Taft and their daughters went East this week, and they will spend the entire summer at Dansville, in New York.

At Dansville is one of the largest of the Eastern Sanatoriums, but it is quite a fashionable resort as well, in the summer, many hundred people staying there, during the hot summer months. One hears that it is a most interesting place in which to spend the summer.

The Tafts went there last year, and they enjoyed it so much that they have gone again this summer.

IN THE SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS.

One usually goes to the Sierras in the late summer, but the Santa Cruz mountains attract visitors much earlier. Some of our leading families have been established in their country homes for some days.

The Ben Lomond colony, the Bishops, Herons, Husseys, S. P. Halls, and others are already entertaining guests



MRS. EUGENE HEWLETT (NEE IONE FORE), WHO HAS JUST GONE SOUTH ON A TRIP.

and farther down the mountains in the Boulder Creek district are many new homes this year.

One of the most perfectly appointed is that of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holland, and their bungalow in the hills is very attractive, with its quaint new furniture, and wide verandas.

Captain and Mrs. Joseph Mathews are with the Hollands this week, and Mrs. Holland's mother, Mrs. Wade, leaves on Sunday to spend the entire summer at Brookdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lovell and their children are spending the summer at the Dickson's, which is just a short distance from Brookdale, so that members of the Oakland colony at Brookdale, bid fair to see a great deal of each other this summer. And I suppose when they all come back we will hear the usual enthusiastic stories of picnics and camp fires. For camp fires seem to be the glory of summer life in the mountains.

SUBURBAN COUNTRY LIFE.

In the New York fashionable news you read: "Suburban country life is at its best, and the cool weather is also most favorable for those who are devoted to cards, and bridge continues to be a chief amusement at many of the early opening resorts."

There is a rumor that the popularity of this game is to be shared by a German rivalskat. This is a favorite diversion of the Kaiser, and it is a leading game at several of the German clubs in this city. Like bridge, it is of the whist family, but extremely intricate, and with a very involved system of scoring and counting.

It took us a long time to adopt "bridge," so it is quite as well to warn card players in advance, that next season "skat" may be with us, and occasion a new diversion for the Whelock and other bridge clubs.

It will not affect the Cosmos Club, of course. It stands by the traditional conservative old-time game of whist, and no power on earth can move it therefrom. Anything else would be beneath its dignity.

ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Craig are not going to Inverness this summer to their picturesque home there, "Craigbrae."

They have with them Mr. and Mrs. Newell, the latter formerly pretty Majorie Craig. Mr. Newell has been desperately ill, after an operation at a leading hospital in San Francisco, and he has been brought to the Craig home at Piedmont. It will be many weeks before he will be able to attend to business duties.

WADSWORTHS ARE HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wadsworth, after spending some months at the Hotel Bella Vista in San Francisco, have returned to Oakland, and have opened their home on Alice street.

Mrs. Emma Shaffer Howard and Mr.

Carl Howard have taken apartments on Pacific avenue, in San Francisco, where they expect to remain till the large home which is being built for Mrs. Howard, will be ready for them.

THE CLEMENT COUNTRY HOME.

One of the most interesting country homes in the county is to be built at Livermore for Mrs. Jabish Clement, of San Francisco.

Mrs. Clement was formerly Miss Dougherty, and with her mother, Mrs. Dougherty, she makes her permanent home at the Pleasanton, in San Francisco.

The Dougherty's owned one of the richest estates in the San Ramon valley, and when they sold part of their land they lived for a while in Fruitvale, going to San Francisco later.

Miss Dougherty married Mr. Clement, very wealthy mining magnate of South Africa.

Mrs. Clement and her mother have entertained extensively in San Francisco this winter, and their many teas at the Pleasanton have always been attended by Oakland guests. The new home at Livermore will be a great acquisition to the county.

MISS HORTON TO ENTERTAIN.

Miss Sarah Horton is to entertain for a few days this summer, her cousin, Mrs. Judith Foster.

Miss Foster comes to the coast with the Taft party, and she is going with them to the Philippines. Mrs. Foster is a very able writer, and she takes a great interest in political questions. She personally took charge of some phases of the McKinley campaign, and made some very able speeches in the middle west.

Miss Horton will probably entertain for her cousin during the latter's brief stay before sailing for the Philippines.

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a picturesque little bungalow at Inverness, where Miss Helen Dornin expects to entertain her friends. Miss Dornin is the most musical girl of all that interesting younger set. And the way she can sew, and make the most artistic stunning things, is quite the despair of her young girl friends.

By July first many prominent people are planning to be away. The Haydens are going to Highland Springs, where they spent last year.

Miss Hayden loves the mountains, and she takes her horses with her, thus enjoying the many picturesque trails in the hills around Highland Springs.

Later in the summer, the Haydens will come down to Cloverdale for a short stay before returning to town.

WILL GO NORTH.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Morrison are going north this summer, and they will have with them Miss Mona Crellin and Miss Ethel Crellin.

Among other points of interest, the party will visit the Portland exposition.

The Morrisons and Miss Mona Crellin made an extended tour last winter of Southern California.

MRS. ADAMS TO GO AWAY.

Mrs. A. L. Adams and her children leaves the latter part of June for "Kilfassett" in the Santa Cruz mountains.

Mrs. Adams will also chaperone some children of the neighborhood, and the young people are looking forward with much pleasure to their summer trip.

WILL GO EAST.

Mrs. George W. Percy and her children leave for the East early in the month. Mrs. Percy is to make an extended visit in her old home in Portland, Maine.

Miss Isabella Percy is an artist who

has done some exceedingly good work,

in the art school and later in her own studio.

Miss Percy is planning to take the teachers' course in art in Columbia College, New York, and she is sure to be most successful in her work.

STANFORDS AT WARM SPRINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Stanford and charming little Helen Stanford are at their home at Warm Springs. They

will spend all the summer there, and

will entertain friends and relatives.

It is an ideal home for entertaining, with a climate unequalled anywhere in the State.

WILL COME TO CALIFORNIA.

Miss Ethel Valentine and Master Dudley Valentine leave the East for California this week. Mrs. John Valentine came to the coast some weeks ago, but since her arrival she has been very ill, in a hospital in San Francisco, of nervous prostration.

Her friends hope that California may do much for her, and that this summer may see her quite restored to health.

MARY HALLAHAN A BRIDE.

On Wednesday last, Miss Mary Hallahan, for some years an adopted daughter of Oakland, was claimed as a bride, in her native town, Utica, New York, by a childhood sweetheart, of unswerving constancy, in the person of Thomas Marion, from infancy a resident of the adjoining town of Herkimer, New York, and now one of the best known and most prosperous citizens of that place.

During Miss Hallahan's residence in Oakland there was no time that the sweetheart of other days did not earnestly look forward to her return, and, when she did return, a few weeks ago, the prospective nuptial was the absorbing theme among the village and city folk.

The marriage ceremony was performed in St. Patrick's church, at whose font the bride was baptized and where she received her religious training. It was conducted at a high mass, celebrated by Rev. Father Quinn, during which nuptial music was rendered by the choir, while the altar was afire with lighted tapers, the sanctuary redolent of the odor of fresh-cut flowers, and the auditorium was filled with life-long, sympathetic friends of both bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Marion are now in New York on their honeymoon, and will establish their permanent home in Herkimer. They have the best wishes of many friends here for a life of prosperity and happiness.

TWO JUNE WEDDINGS.

Two June weddings are of special note, that of Miss Ella Sterett and Mr. Barbour, and the wedding of Mr. Everett Brown and Miss Winifred Osborne.

The wedding of Miss Sterett and Mr. Barbour will take place at "Lakeside," the home of Mrs. George H. Wheaton, who is the bride's aunt.

Only relatives will be present, but in this case relatives make a large wedding company.

The home for the young people has been chosen on Telegraph avenue, and it is being furnished for them. After a short wedding trip, they will begin housekeeping in the picturesque little residence.

The wedding of Mr. Everett Brown and Miss Winifred Osborne will take place on Wednesday evening, June twenty-eighth, at the home of the bride in Auburn.

The bride will be attended by Mrs. Dave Hartley as matron of honor, and the bridesmaids will include Miss Vera Cope, Miss Sallie Mulligan, Miss Elsie Mulligan, Miss Wills. The bride will be gowned in white satin messaline, and the bridesmaids will be in pink, carrying shower bouquets of pink sweet peas.

The ushers will include Walter Leamer, Ray Baker, Ray Taylor and Albert Kenyon.

Cleve Baker, a brother of the groom, will act as best man.

After a brief honeymoon Mr. Baker and his bride will occupy their new home at Piedmont.

VISITING HERE.

Mrs. Beatrice Priest-Fine, the gifted singer, who has had such a successful career in the East, is spending the summer here. During her visit here much of Mrs. Fine's time will be spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Priest, at their home on Myrtle street.

She will leave in the fall to fulfill important engagements in New York. Mrs. Fine has been accorded a hearty welcome by her score of friends and admirers in Oakland and San Francisco.

JESSUP-DANDY.

Among the most interesting of recent weddings was that of Miss Mary Catherine Jessup and William Goodrich Dandy, which was solemnized Thursday, June 8, at the home of the bride's parents on Fairmount Avenue

evening for their honeymoon. They will return here to remain until August 1, before going to their permanent home in Los Angeles.

AT BERKELEY.

Judge and Mrs. Oliver P. Evans and the Misses Evans are now settled in their new Berkeley home, where they will make their permanent residence.

RETURNS TODAY.

Dr. E. J. Boyce returns today and will resume practice Monday, after a trip East, and a month's stay at Ben Lomond in the Santa Cruz Mountains.

PERSONALS.

Miss Georgie Shanklin has returned after a delightful year spent in Honolulu.

Mrs. M. E. Davidson will return next month after a stay of several weeks in Honolulu.

Mrs. T. B. Coghill and Miss Bessie Coghill will spend the summer in the Santa Cruz Mountains.

Miss Essie Cobb has returned to her home in Oregon, after an extended visit here.

Mrs. E. A. Dickie and daughter Lorina will leave July 1 for Kenwood, where they will spend the summer.

William Godfrey, a member of the office force of W. A. Boole & Co., ship-builders, has gone East to attend the centennial celebration at Harvard University, his Alma Mater.

Miss Alpha Vance was visiting the family of Dr. Horel in Arcata last week.

Mrs. Emma Coffey and her son, Edward, went to Oakland last week to visit her sister, Mrs. D. Emart.

Miss Eva Powell and sister have been visiting their cousin, Miss Jeanette Powell, at Marysville.

S. Metcalf and wife spent part of last week in Antioch, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dahmen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Euch have taken the cottage of E. L. Cave at St. Helena for the summer.

Ezra Decoto spent last Saturday and Sunday with his parents at Niles.

George Peterman spent last Sunday at Mt. Eden.

Peter Denusar visited the family of J. L. Christensen at Mt. Eden last Sunday.

Mr. Frank Crawford, chief clerk in the Southern Pacific Road Master's office, spent a few days in Oakland and then left for Merced.

Mrs. A. W. Felder spent Decoration Day in Livermore visiting friends.

Miss Lillian Symmes is the guest of Miss Mattie Knox at Livermore.

Arthur Schaffer spent Memorial Day in Livermore.

P. L. Levy spent Decoration Day in Livermore visiting old friends.

Mrs. J. Hamilton Todd, with Miss Madelaine and James Todd Jr., leave next week for a stay in the Santa Cruz Mountains.

Mrs. Porter and Miss Amy Porter of San Francisco, who have been spending some time in Southern California, will arrive home next week to spend the remainder of the summer at the Berkeley Inn.

Mrs. Claude Sharon is a guest at the Sharon home in Piedmont, and will remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Louise Allender is spending some delightful weeks at San Mateo, as the guest of friends.

News has been received here of the birth of a little daughter in the home of Dr. and Mrs. George Martin (nee Bates) in Berlin.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Duncan announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Montgomery Duncan, to William Knowles. The wedding will take place on Thursday noon, June 29, at the home of the bride's parents in San Francisco. Only relatives will be present.

The duty of the Court of Justice is to see that an accused party is given a fair chance to plead his case and this is the privilege of every American—but this privilege was denied the manufacturers by the "Rheinier strikers."

YOUNG MAN IS HER HUSBAND

An item published to the effect that Miss Katie H. Neal of Pleasanton had disappeared from her home and gone to Reno with a young man was erroneous to the extent that the young man was her wedded husband and that her family knew of her departure to Reno. A notice issued at the County Clerk's office on the 13th of this month to Frederick W. Schenk, San Francisco, a twenty-three years of age, and Miss Katie H. Neal of Pleasanton, eighteen years of age, they have gone to Reno for their honeymoon. Before she left her home she had the seal of her father, although the approaching wedding was not generally known.

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REAL ESTATE NEWS OF THE WEEK TRADE NOTES

**MASONS
MAY BUILD
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Unique Structure
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Inquiries for investment and residence property have ruled in local realty circles the past week. Calls for business property, have temporarily subsided, due probably to the fact that the vacation season is at hand.

The general run of business has been good, however, and the dealers say they have no cause for complaint. The old talk of a first-class hotel has been revived, and those responsible for it say Oakland will positively have an up-to-date hotel within another twelve months.

EAST OAKLAND BOOM.

East Oakland is enjoying a small-sized boom and demand for home sites in that part of the city is unusually brisk. Most of those who have bought property in East Oakland have either begun the erection of a home or are planning to build.

Among the big buildings under construction is the livery and feed stable of H. L. Hermansen at the corner of Twelfth avenue and East Twelfth street.

The building will occupy about 150 square feet. Mr. Hermansen was formerly located at the corner of Eleventh street and Twelfth avenue, and since he was burned out he had had temporary quarters in the old Clinton Mills.

Building is especially active in the vicinity of Howard street, Newton avenue and the Fourth avenue car line, no less than a score of houses being in course of construction in that neighborhood.

ADDING SECOND STORY.

A noticeable feature of the building that is going on in the western part of the city is the additions that are being built to many cottages. The owners find that there is a demand for small flats, and they are taking advantage of the call for this kind of property by adding a second story to their homes. Half a dozen instances of this kind have been noted in the vicinity of West Eighth street within the past month.

Not in every case is the house turned into a double flat, however, as some owners have found it desirable to add an extra story for their own use, as well as to enhance the value of their property.

BUILDING TRACTS POPULAR.

The popularity of the residence tract seems to have no end in Oakland. The more tracts placed on the market the greater the number of buyers. People do not hesitate to invest in realty of this class when only small payments in installments are required. To most of them it is like putting so much aside in the bank.

The Realty Bonds and Finance Company reports sales of at least twenty lots in its new Woodlawn and Barker tracts the past week. Three residences are in course of construction in the Barker tract, while at least five beautiful homes are about to be started in the Woodlawn tract.

Among the recent sales made by the Realty Bonds and Finance Company is a house and lot on Delaware street in Berkeley for \$3,000 and a house and lot on Seventh street, Oakland, for M. Carroll for \$2,500.

BATES TO BUILD.

Harry L. Holcomb has sold two residence lots with a total frontage of 100 feet on Vernon street, near Perkins, and adjoining the residence of George H. Colins, to Charles D. Bates, father of the City Treasurer, and it is understood that Mr. Bates will put up two beautiful homes on the site. One of these homes, it is reported, will be for the general City Treasurer.

Mr. Holcomb has sold one of his houses on Roosevelt Terrace to Mrs. Etta L. Thomas of San Francisco for \$4,000 and he is having plans made for another \$4,000 house on the same street.

The new home of Captain Peterson on this street has just been finished. In the last eighteen months no less than \$60,000 have been expended in new homes on Roosevelt Terrace.

J. Tyrrell reports a number of good sales of residence property and a large number of inquiries for small homes.

TAYLOR BROTHERS BUSY.

Taylor Brothers have had a busy month thus far. Recent sales made by this firm include the following:

For H. C. Morris to John T. Geraty, lots 106 feet frontage on Ruby street, which will be improved at once; for Dr. R. E. Boeske to A. E. H. Cramer, residence on Moss avenue; for Frank J. Taylor to Flora F. and Francis A. Colby, residence on Valdez street; for H. C. Morris to John O. Berg, residence on Ruby street; for Realty Syndicate to Mrs. M. Richardson, lot on West street, which will be improved at once; for H. V. Vondrousek, lot on Franklin street; for Realty Syndicate to Emma Faucher, lot on West street; for H. N. Morse to Dr. E. G. Wood, lot in Morse tract, on which a \$4,000 residence will be built at once; for Realty Syndicate to Mary E. Frost, lot on Chicago avenue, upon which a handsome residence is now being built; for Mary Carroll to H. H. McKissick, house and lot on Thirty-ninth street.

PIEDMONT PROPERTY.

So brisk has been the demand for desirable residence sites in the Piedmont district that another tract will shortly be placed on the market.

Wichmann Havens has purchased about thirty acres in the vicinity of Moss and Piedmont avenues from H. W. Pierce and Mr. A. G. Rokel, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tolman, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dunn, Mr. Rose Boukoumpis, Mrs. S. Jacobs, Mr. Simon, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bergen, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. P. Puncavel, Geo. W. Conner, John Mundford, Mrs. M. Van Voorhees, F. Martenson, P. Meyer, Mrs. F. Meyer, Miss B. Meyer, Mrs. H. Kohlmoos, and children, Dr. S. A. Richmon, Geo. G. Winchester, Dr. D. J. Oliver, B. Rich, Mrs. H. E. Quinlan, Miss M. Nelson, Mrs. M. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Edsall, Wm. Marlow, Oakes, Mrs. M. K. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Nichols, and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dierssen, Glen, Ellen, Jim, Hale, Miss M. E. Monahan, Santa Rosa—Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dunbar and child, Petaluma—E. J. Putnam, Alameda—Miss Anna Fisher, Sonoma—W. C. Hooker, E. H. Johansson, New York—P. C. Doscher, Henry Steiner, San Francisco—Wm. Isaacs, Jos. Black, J. J. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Landers Stevens and family, Miss Lizzie P. Connell, A. Collin, Miss A. Muller, Monterey—E. Brady.

BUILDING RESIDENCES.

The Merritt-Wolcott Company reports many inquiries the past week for residence property.

The company has a number of deals pending, which it expects to close before the end of the month. Among its recent sales is the handsome residence of Contractor K. Nelson on Sherman avenue, to P. J. Lamb of San Francisco.

V. C. Howe reports a good demand for lots in East Oakland and Peralta Heights.

Arrangements have been made by Mr. Howe for placing on the market the remaining half block at the corner of Lincoln avenue and Oak street.

There is considerable building going on in this section. J. Gordier is erecting a two-story house, and William Edling is finishing a cosy little bungalow.

Mr. Howe says he has had many inquiries the past ten days from parties in search of good investment property.

J. H. MacDonald says he has been in the real estate business in Oakland many years, but he has never seen the mar-

Many Sales Are Reported—Residences Are Being Built—Some Personals.

SITE FOR
BIG HOTEL
IS WANTED

Outside Capital
to Put Up
Coin.

Again Oakland is on the eve of having a new hotel. About once every year there is more or less talk of a big hotel to be built here, but the project never gets any further than on paper. There is good reason to believe, however, that something more than fancy sketches and word-painting will come of the present proposition. In fact, the promoters are that far advanced in their plans that they have asked one of the leading realty firms to find them a site.

MUCH SECRECY.

The greatest secrecy is being maintained.

"If this thing is made public it may prevent the plans of the promoters from being carried out," said the real estate man in question, when asked for details.

It is understood that outside money is to engineer the enterprise, and that the idea of the promoters is to build a combination hotel and apartment house, from 300 to 500 rooms. The apartment house will be so arranged that it may be utilized for hotel purposes whenever occasion demands. The apartments will not be for housekeeping, the idea being to have the occupants take their meals at the hotel. It is believed that many wealthy San Francisco families would avail themselves of accommodations of this kind and that there would be little trouble filling the apartment.

TWO OR THREE STORIES.

The building would not be more than two or three stories. A spacious veranda, looking onto flower gardens, and a well-kept lawn, would be one of the features of the hotel, and an attractive dining-room would be another feature.

It is understood the promoters have in mind a dining-room that could be used for large banquets, such as those held annually by the Board of Trade and Merchants' Exchange.

LOCATION DESIRED.

The kind of location desired is one that will be close to the business center, yet at the same time within sight of green foliage. The present site of the Presbyterian church at Franklin and Fourteenth streets, has been mentioned, among others, as an ideal location, being in sight of the City Hall, as well as close to many nice homes and not a stone's throw from the Southern Pacific narrow gauge depot.

Holcomb, Breed & Bancroft have just placed on the market Santa Fe tract No. 9, which consists of twenty business lots located on either side of Fifty-fourth street, west of Market and immediately adjoining the new Key route station to be located on Fifty-fourth street, between Adeline and Market. Every indication points to a thriving business community at this spot, the nearest business locations on the route being at South Berkeley, eight to ten blocks distant, and on the south, at Fortieth street and San Pablo avenue, fourteen blocks distant. The business locations mentioned on Fifty-fourth street will be supported by the residence community of the Santa Fe tracts and also by the section already built up on the west of Adeline street.

NEW STATIONS.

Two new stations have been completed by the Key route on the Bowles-Piedmont tract, one at Fifty-fifth and Grove streets and the other at Fifty-fifth and Shattuck avenue. Both are designed after the style of the Piedmont station and are very attractive. Since this subdivision has been opened over \$15,000 worth of lots have been sold and much home building is contemplated by the purchasers in the near future.

FRUITVALE PROPERTY SOLD.

Charles T. Lee of Fruitvale has sold ninety feet on Peralta avenue at the corner of Lynda street. The purchaser will at once erect a very fine two-story residence on the site.

BUILDING ON BOULEVARD TRACT.

Fourteen new houses are being built on George Lee's Fruitvale Boulevard tract, near High street. Hundreds of choice residence lots have been sold since the opening up of the Boulevard tract, which comprises about eighty acres of choice high land on two car lines, with a 5-cent fare to Oakland.

BOOKLET ISSUED.

A neat and instructive booklet has been issued by the Board of Trade of Gridley, Cal., showing half-tone pictures of the city and surrounding country and giving a full and complete description of the entire country. The booklet may be had upon request to Charles F. O'Brien & Co., 30 Montgomery street, San Francisco, or from W. H. Gilstrap, Gridley, Cal.

PAJARO VALLEY.

Everything in the Pajaro Valley points toward a most favorable season this year. The apple growers expect one of the best crops for several seasons. Car-loads of strawberries have already been shipped and the sugar beet crop this year is expected to reach 35,000 tons and is contracted for at \$4.50 per ton. Other crops of the valley have equally good prospects. A good many strangers are coming to town at present, most of whom are investing in country real estate. A new cement building is going up on upper Main street of Watsonville, under the direction of Mr. Weeks.

IN BAY VIEW PARK.

Williams & Parsons report a better business during the month of June than during the month of May. Lots in Bay View Park, the suburban district between Berkeley and Point Richmond, are being sold more rapidly since the completion of the electric trolley line by way of San Pablo avenue, this line passing Bay View Park and giving a fast twenty-minute service from each end of the line.

Recent sales made by Williams & Parsons in Oakland include the flats at the corner of Twelfth and Brush streets for \$6,600; a new home on Fifty-ninth street, near Idora Park, for \$2,250; a pair of flats on Eighteenth street, near Market, near Grove street; for \$4,000; a small residence on Grove street for \$1,500, and several residence lots in different parts of the city, on which the purchasers are now erecting dwellings.

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Baltimore	107.00	Ft. Worth	60.00	Memphis	6.50
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Charlotte Benson (widow) to N. F.

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NEWS OF THE DAY FROM THE SUBURBS

ALAMEDA WEDDING

Miss Nomens to
Become Bride
Tonight.

ALAMEDA, June 17.—The wedding of Miss Mathilda Nomens of this city and David Cords, a former Alamedan, but now a resident of San Francisco, is to take place this evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 2241 Pacific avenue, the Rev. Christopher Russ, pastor of the Unitarian Church, officiating.

The eldest sister of the bride-to-be, Miss Katherine Nomens, will be the maid of honor, and two other sisters, the Misses Lottie and Mina Nomens, will act as bridesmaids. W. B. Hindle will attend the groom.

The bride-elect is the second daughter of August Nomens, and is popular in society circles across the bay. Mr. Cords holds a responsible position with the Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company in San Francisco. He at one time resided in this city, having received his early education in the local schools.

ON SUMMER VACATIONS.

ALAMEDA, June 17.—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Joyce, with Miss Hazel Joyce of 2622 Buena Vista avenue, are to leave on Monday in a private conveyance for a trip through the Santa Cruz Mountains and to the seashore. They will be absent from Alameda for a month.

Mr. James Bowcher of Regent street is at Linda Park, near Guerneville.

Mrs. Poplano of 2129 Alameda avenue is spending the summer at Waterman, Oregon.

Miss Gertrude Postel of 2231 Clinton avenue left today for Mountain View, Santa Clara county.

Frank O'Brien of 2250 San Jose avenue and Howard Passal left yesterday for Boulder Creek, where they will spend six weeks in camp.

Miss Anna Postel has returned from a visit in Santa Clara.

J. Ambon McCarthy and John F. Brady of San Jose avenue are to leave on the 1st inst. for Guerneville, where they will spend two months in camp on the shores of the Russian River.

Justice of the Peace Fred S. Cone and wife are to leave on next Tuesday for Portland, where they will visit the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

POLICE GIVE WARNING.

ALAMEDA, June 17.—The police office has given warning to the public that a small army of "sure-things" men are headed this way, having been driven out of Portland, where they were operating upon the tourists visiting the Exposition. Police Sergeant Albert Kamp states that in all probability some of the "sure-things" men will drop into this town in quest of victims.

One team of burro steers that is particularly noted consists of two men and an innocent looking girl whose specialty is the passing of "raised" bills. They have operated in San Jose with great success.

WILL MEET MONDAY.

ALAMEDA, June 17.—The general Fourth of July Committee, comprising all the sub-committees in charge of the local celebration of the nation's natal day, will meet next Monday night in the City Hall, when important arrangements for the day's sports and festivities and the water carnival scheduled for the night, will be decided. The matter of securing additional funds is to be considered.

BANK TO ENLARGE

Plan New Build-
ing For West
Berkeley.

ARMY MAN FROM EUROPE HERE FOR STUDY.

Young Austrian Would Learn the
Methods of California
Fruit Growers.



JOSEPH W. SCHULZ.

BERKELEY, June 17.—All the way from Austria to California has come Josef V. Schulz, American editor of the Bohemian Agricultural Encyclopedia (Czech Hesopadsky Slovnik) and a Lieutenant in the Austrian army. He proposes making a thorough investigation of California in the hope of curing and packing fruit, for the benefit of the fruit raisers of his native land. He arrived at Berkeley from a trip into Mexico June 5th, and left today for Portland, where he will visit the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Mr. Schulz has been in the United States for a year and in California for six months. It was the fame of California fruit that led to the visit of the distinguished foreigners to this coast. "Years ago," said Mr. Schulz, "my country used to raise the finest fruits in Europe. But the raising of sugar beets, which was for a time more profitable than the fruit industry, drove the latter completely out of existence and now the science of fruit raising is forgotten among the Bohemians. If we want to get good fruit we buy California fruit. The California prunes

and apples are especially celebrated with us, but all fruit that is first class comes from California. This state of affairs is not caused by a lack of fertility of the land, but by a lack of knowledge concerning fruit culture. It has been my task to gather that information and to pass it on to the farmers in the fruit industry and to make careful notes of all ideas that will prove profitable to my own people."

That is the main purpose of the Agricultural Encyclopedia—to infuse new life into the agricultural methods of the land and especially to obtain variety in the agricultural pursuits of Bohemia. The work is being edited by the University Confederation of my country, an organization composed of all the institutions of learning in Bohemia, the government, and appropriate any money to such work and it became necessary for the people who had the welfare of the country at heart to act for themselves. I find the methods employed in this State are the most advanced of those I have seen in America. I have found the Californians the most hospitable people in all the world."

LETTERS ADVERTISED.

Antonio Silveira Borges, Chico da Costa, Maria Gloria, Mrs. Kate Henderson, M. Josephs, Frank Lynde, George Lynde, Mattie V. Lynde, Antonio Merez, Manuel Muniz, Joao Silveira Nunes, Fred Pagel, John Preston, Walter Plesner, Miss Georgia Silva, Captain Jack Welkens.

BOY IN ACCIDENT

San Leandro Lad
Has a Narrow
Escape.

SAN LEANDRO, June 17.—Eennie Silva, the six-year-old son of G. J. Silva of this place, was the victim of an accident that nearly resulted fatally last Wednesday. He was starting to climb into the delivery wagon of Driver, Aber & Co. over the front wheel, when the horse suddenly started forward, throwing the little boy to the ground. The rear wheel passed over the child's hip and body, knocking him senseless. He was taken to his home and medical aid summoned. It was found that no bones were broken. He has recovered from the shock.

CHILDREN'S NIGHT.

Children of the members of the San Leandro Rebekah Lodge entertained their members Thursday evening with a program of musical and literary numbers. The little ones gave recitations, songs and piano selections in a way that won them much applause.

Following the program refreshments were passed around and a social hour spent.

On the committee of arrangements were the following: Mrs. William Hodges (chairman), Mrs. McNeil, Mrs. R. E. Gray and Mrs. J. Force.

DR. DILLE TALKS.

"Pioneer Empire Makers of the West" was the subject of Dr. E. R. Dille's discourse at the Town Hall last night. He gave the lecture for the benefit of the Methodist Church here.

The members of the Epworth League were in charge of the affair and served refreshments to the guests after the speech was over. On the committee of arrangements were Mrs. H. Hardy and Mrs. A. B. Cary.

Rev. A. J. Hanson, pastor of the M. E. Church here, will talk on "What San Leandro Needs" at the morning service tomorrow. The sermon will be of interest to business men and philanthropists, as well as to the members of the church. Financial and moral aspects of the problem will be especially dwelt upon by Rev. Hanson.

THE PRESBYTERIANS.

Mrs. Mary E. Teats is to lecture at the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday afternoon, June 27. The mothers are especially invited, though the affair will be open to everybody. No admission will be charged.

In the evening of the same day Mrs. Teats is to give an address under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. on the subject "Who Is the Criminal?"

PERSONAL ITEMS.

Many of the local residents have lately subscribed for stock in the new Centerville Church. Among those investing in the enterprise are the following:

J. A. Cimba, \$500; Leo Brissacher, \$250; M. S. Bulcão, \$400; Lucien Godchaux, \$250; Charles H. Hale, \$500; Joseph Herrschers, \$500; S. Huff, \$650; Antonio Lucio, \$500; J. B. Mendonca, \$550; L. C. Morehouse, \$550; Joaquin Pereira, \$500.

Frank Leaf is the record cherry picker this year. He filled fourteen fifty-pound boxes between sunrise and sunset last Thursday.

Mrs. M. Barrados is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. J. Ritter of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Currier of Chico and their daughter, Mrs. A. Grills, visited Mrs. F. P. Church, the postmistress, yesterday.

Manuel Miller has returned home from a visit to Belmont.

Mrs. M. Gillis of Hamburg is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Begier on the Stanley road.

Mrs. Sachau of this city exhibited the Roger Lambeth, a rare specimen of roses and some rare seedling carnations at the meeting of the State Floral Society held in Central Hall, San Francisco.

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WILL "AUTO"

TO TONOPAH

BERKELEY, June 17.—To Goldfields and Tonopah, a distance of 500 miles, is the novel and interesting trip to be undertaken by three residents of Berkeley, A. T. Hays of 2532 Ellsworth street, C. E. Batdorf of 2718 Telegraph avenue, and Frank Baldar of 2323 Ward street.

The three young men started from Berkeley early this morning and it is their intention to arrive in Tonopah about Tuesday evening. Hays will use a 24-horsepower Rambler of the latest model, while the two Baldars will cover the distance in 16-horsepower automobiles.

LONG BUT SUCCESSFUL HUNT.

Roholm's team seems to have found in the Korean Strait the torpedo-boats that he was looking for off the Dogger Banks. —Boston Transcript.

BITS OF CHAT

FROM BERKELEY

BERKELEY, June 17.—Mrs. Dr. F. L. Carpenter and little boy have gone to Prescott, Ariz., for the summer.

C. W. Doane has let a contract for a two-story house on Emerson, near Wheeler street, Berkeley, to cost \$10,000.

Mrs. R. Hovey left last night for Redding and other Northern California points, where she will spend the next few weeks.

Harold Cloudman, a graduate of the University of California, with the class of 1902, left this morning for Colorado to accept an important position one of the largest mining companies in the State.

Professor L. A. Fitz of the department of agriculture has made an examination of the wheat fields of Yuma county, where the Russian fly was reported by the farmers to have done a great amount of damage. He found no Russian fly has appeared in the county. He thinks it is probably that rust is responsible for the damage.

Marshal Vollmer to whom the Board of Trustees Monday night granted a leave of absence for two weeks, will be on the 1st of July leaving a companion with Dr. E. L. Loving, a school director of this city, for an outing on Russian river in Sonoma county.

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Native Sons by the presence of the Past Presidents.

Clyde E. Abbott, acted as toastmaster at the banquet which was served in the banquet room after the conclusion of the ceremonies. Responses were made by Grand President James L. Gallagher, Past Grand President J. E. McLaughlin, Grand Secretary Charles H. Turner, Past President Joseph E. Rose, Brothers John F. Lenihan, R. P. Tracy and Frank McAllister. An invitation was sent to Congressman Joseph R. Knowland, but he was unable to accept.

Berkeley Parlor No. 210, N. G. S. W. invited some of the most prominent officers of the order in the State to be Grand Parlor made short addresses, besides assisting in the lodge work. A special honor was done the local Na-

tive Sons by the presence of the Past Presidents.

He visited her home a few days ago and represented that he was taking orders for three Hayward business firms. He persuaded her to order \$5 worth of goods, collecting the money in advance.

As the goods failed to appear, the widow came to town to investigate. The merchants he claimed to represent denied all connection with him, and Mrs. Dunlap was forced to conclude that she had been robbed.

She described the swindler as being about 35 years old, six feet tall and with dark hair and eyes. He wore a black suit and derby hat.

ENTERTAINED.

Members of the Zeta Beta Club entertained last night at the Village Hall in San Lorenzo. A very interesting program was rendered. Music played a special part in the production and every number was artistically rendered. King's orchestra supplied the music for accompaniments and interludes.

The latter part of the evening was spent in the rendition of a delightful comedy called "Hard of Hearing." The parts of the deaf old bachelor and old maid were faithfully portrayed by the young women. The following were included in the cast:

Daisy Lyons, Naomi Kennedy, Rose Hall, Avis Toon, Lou Everett and Verona Mehlner.

The numbers on the program were arranged as follows:

King's orchestra; vocal solo, Miss Clegg; recitation, Naomi Kennedy; piano solo, Flora Gansberg; tableaux, "Songs of Seven"; recitation, R. C. King; violin solo, Carmen King; piano solo, Neva Veysey; vocal duet, Misses King and Clegg; shadow pictures; vocal solo, Mrs. Nielsen; oboe solo, Hazel King; farce, "Hard of Hearing."

KNIGHTS TO SMOKE.

Cigars and refreshments will be provided at the smoker to be given Monday evening by Hayward Tent of Macabees. There will be a set of card games arranged for the evening, and other features of a social nature.

A short business meeting will precede the social time.

N. G. S. W. ELECTS.

Haywards Parlor of Native Daughters selected the officers for the ensuing term at a meeting last Wednesday evening. The following were elected:

Past president, Miss Lena Harder; president, Miss Alice Garretson; first vice, Miss Anna Cahill; second vice, Miss Lily Walpert; third vice, Miss Mary Carr; recording secretary, Miss Clara Walpert; financial secretary, Miss Anna Obermuller; treasurer, Mrs. K. L. Cassey; marshal, Mrs. Florence Strobel; inside sentinel, Mrs. W. T. Knightly; trustees, Misses E. Horn, H. Mersbach and L. May; organist, Miss Ada Pimental; physician, Dr. E. G. Reynolds.

TO BUILD RESERVOIR.

Thomas Russell of this place has secured the contract for constructing the huge cement tank at the Hunt Brothers' Cannery. The reservoir will have a capacity of 800,000 gallons.

The cannery people will take their water from an excellent artesian well lately discovered on the premises. It is thought that an underground river has been tapped, and the supply seems inexhaustible. If the San Lorenzo Water Company keeps its threat to shut off the water on June 30, it may be possible that the town will get its future supply from the cannery well.

NEWS NOTES.

There will be a meeting of the arrangements committee this evening at the Town Hall to prepare for the Fourth of July celebration. The reports are all in from the other sub-committees, and this committee is in condition to go ahead with its work.

Tomorrow morning the Rev. B. Dent Naylor is to preach at the Congregational Church. In the evening the Methodist house of worship will be the scene of a union meeting, which will be addressed by the Hon. G. M. Glass of Seattle. His subject will be "Good Citizenship."

Friends of Miss Julia Kinsey surprised her last Tuesday evening by visiting her in a body. They brought baskets of good things and prepared a dainty luncheon for the prospective bride. Those present were members of the Hayward Literary Club.

Miss Adele Alexander is very ill with appendicitis. Drs. Morton and Alexander have charge of the case.

Miss Adele Golden of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute in Berkeley is spending the summer with her father, George Golden of this place.

Vincent Streeter has lately returned from business trip to Tehama county.

Son Lost: Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my Mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slight sign of consumption, I have taken Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Mr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble is

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Columbia—"The Usurper."

Majestic—"Leah Klesscha."

Orpheum—Vaudeville.

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evening—Specialties; afternoon and

evening—Fischer's—Vaudeville.

PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND.

June 17th, St. Paul's Church of San

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\$2450—Excellent seven room residence, almost new, electrically throughout, large, double, double, best condition, five minutes to post office, make offer, owner forced to sell. 1884.

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INVESTMENT COTTAGE.

\$1600—Excellent cottage, four large rooms and bath, large porcelain tub, high basement, thoroughly modernized throughout, between Grove and Telegraph ave., south of 10th st.; terms can be arranged to suit; income \$300 per annum.

INVESTMENT

\$10,000—For nine acres, surrounded by fine trees, graded roads, and an excellent street car service, and an proposed Key Route line; short distance from terminus of the 4th ave Key Route line; this tract lays high and beautiful; the price is less than \$1 per foot; will readily sell for \$12 to \$15 per foot if subdivided. Here is a chance to make \$15,000.

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The 6-room, half and bath, modern cottage for \$1500; in the Villa Ave. tract, one block to Golden Gate station, S. P. 10 minutes' walk to Key route; 2 blocks to San Pablo car, walking distance to factories on water front; good terms to purchase.

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LOST—On narrow gauge train Monday, June 12, a dog with S. F. tag; answers to name of Frisco; liberal reward by returning to 1160 Dupont st., San Francisco.

LOST—Ladies' watch, monogram "Papa to George." Return Tribune; reward \$1.

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\$200 REWARD and no questions asked for return of 44 cal Colt's revolver, long barrel, ivory handle, 6 chambers engraved, also leather open holster and belt to rm. 615, Central Bank Bldg., Oakland.

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Remarkable recoveries are brought about every day through this Column.

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MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, 921 Broadway, room 10, 11 and 12; telephone Black 501.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorney-at-Law, 922 Broadway, over Union Savings Bank.

NYE & KINSELL, Attorneys-at-Law, 861 Broadway, rooms 22 and 23.

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(Official)

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Regular Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, June 5, 1905.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Board met in regular session. On the call of the roll all members were found to be present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved without alteration.

ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS.

The Audit and Finance Committee having reported favorable, the following claims were read by the Clerk.

COUNTY GENERAL COMMITTEE.

\$8,000. Abbott, \$4,000. Telegraph

Company, \$8,500. Anderson & Co.

\$10,000. Almendariz, assignee of

George C. Royne, \$10,000. A. W.

Bridge, \$32,000; same, assignee of E. Her-

neth, \$3,000; same, assignee of A. T.

Newth, \$14,000; same, assignee of William

McDonald, \$36,000. A. W. Johnson, \$10,000.

CASTRO VALLEY DISTRICT ROAD

FUND.

J. B. Lanktree, Trustee, assignee of Joe

Augustine, \$14,000; same, assignee of E. M.

\$8,000. Manuel Hornor, \$8,000. J. W.

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COSTA LORENZO DISTRICT ROAD FUND.

Thomas Rose, \$30,00.

VALLECITO DISTRICT ROAD FUND.

Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of Hazen

Ernoch Hughes, \$22,25; Frank Barnett, \$2,00; John B. Lanktree, \$10,00; L. C. Gaze-

tett, \$71.50; A. B. Lanktree, \$10,00; B. C. Lank-

tree, \$6,00; George C. Bormann & Co., \$14,000; Albert Brown, \$7,00; W. M.

Brown, \$15,00; George Bull, \$15,00; D. H.

Bunting, \$15,00; George C. Bormann, assignee of

J. H. Moller, \$118.50; H. C. Callan, \$5,00.

Central Bank, assignee of J. Maher,

\$2,00; L. B. Chandler, \$17,00; Charles

C. H. Clegg, \$15,00; Coopers Ambrose Co., \$2,00;

Cotton Bros., \$10,00; D. G. Clegg, \$2,00;

Dexter, \$7,80; E. Dowdle Company, \$2,00;

F. T. Dusterberry, assignee of Frank

G. C. Dugan, \$1,00; same, assignee of

F. A. Elkout, \$3,50; First National

Bank, assignee of George C. H. Derrick,

\$2,00; Manuel J. Fonte, \$10,00; J. M. de

Fresno, \$2,00; G. H. Felt, \$14,00; F. Fisher,

\$2,00; W. F. Gilson, \$11,50; J. S. Goff, \$2,00;

Jameson & Wood, \$50,00; J. G. Goff, \$2,00;

J. G. Goff, \$2,00; J. S. Goff, \$2,00; J. W. W. Keran,

\$15,00; P. Kirsch, \$1,00; J. Kitchener,

\$1,00; L. W. A. Koenig, \$1,00; W. C. Koenig,

Dr. M. Koenig, \$5,00; C. L. Krelling, \$2,00;

\$7,50; C. F. Lanktree, \$1,00; E. L. Lay-

mance, \$1,00; L. C. Lanktree, \$1,00;

L. C. Lanktree, \$1,00; R. A. Leet, \$1,00;

Fred Zimmerman, Road Foreman for

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Antone George Jr., Road Foreman, for

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John Dugan, Road Foreman, for month of

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G. H. Miller, Road Foreman, for month of

May, 1905.

H. B. Meiermann, Coroner, for month of

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A. W. Fiedler, for the month of April,

1905.

STATEMENT OF FEES.

The following statement of fees were

received and filed:

P. C. Quin, Justice of the Peace for

month of May, 1905.

V. H. Taylor, Justice of the Peace, for

month of May, 1905.

Police Court No. 1, for month of May,

1905.

Police Court, No. 2, for month of May,

1905.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN J. LILLEN,

District Attorney of Alameda Co.

Whereupon the report of the Trustees

of the Melrose School District in the matter

of the School Tax Election was ordered

filed.

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THAT A

CLAIM BE FILED AGAINST THE

ESTATE OF CERISTINA WILHEL-

MINA LUND.

A resolution was introduced and

adopted directing that a suit be filed in

the Superior Court of the County of

Alameda, for the sum of \$10,000, against

the estate of Christina Wilhelmina L.

Lund, which sum was expended by the County

of Alameda for the maintenance of said

deceased in the Home of the Poor

of Alameda.

On motion of Supervisor Rowa, sec-

onded by Supervisor Horner, Kelley, Tal-

cott and Chairman Mitchell—4.

Absent from roll call—Supervisor Rowa

REPORT OF COUNTY AND TOW-

SHIP OFFICERS.

Washington Press—Notice to non-

consenting land owners County Road

Road No. 3560.

Hawthorne, \$14.25; W. H. Heald,

Joseph Herrscher, \$14.25; W. H. Hirsch & Co.,

assignee of S. B. Wenderwitz, \$18.10;

F. C. Horner, \$100.00; F. C. Horner, \$100.00;

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GOSSIP FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

IT BEATS THE DUTCH

Information gleaned from trustworthy sources convinces me that S. G. Murphy's 'Dutch windmill and Dr. E. H. Woolsey's dog fountain are not in the same monumental class. Both subserve a useful purpose, it is true, and both would adorn their respective landscapes. But Dr. Woolsey's dog fountain is intended to assist the morals of the community in which it is to be erected, while Mr. Murphy's windmill is absolutely immoral—like a Japanese geisha, for example and opposite comparison. Dr. Woolsey insists that the heaviest contribution to the dog fountain fund should come from the Young Women's Temperance Union. He argues that if the dogs of Oakland are provided with a fountain where they may drink as often as they are thirsty, it will be no longer necessary for them to seek this refreshment in the saloons; if the dogs do not drink in the saloons the masters of these dogs will be deprived of frequent excuse for entering saloons. It is the doctor's experience that many of the Oakland men about town keep dogs for no other purpose than to furnish opportunities for going into the saloons to ask the barkeepers for a drink of water for their dogs. Of course it would be exceedingly embarrassing to any self-respecting man about town in Oakland to ask a barkeeper to treat a dog and then walk out of the saloon without taking at least one drink on his own account, perhaps two, or possibly more. Now, according to Dr. Woolsey's theory, if the dog fountain was operating the temptation to follow his dog into a saloon would be removed from the daily life of the Oakland man about town. The doctor's presentation of his hypothesis is at least plausible; the potential morality of the proposition cannot be denied. But what can be said for the moral influence of a Dutch windmill? On the contrary, what may not be said of a Dutch windmill that is not confirmatory of every suspicion? Was not the sign of the windmill—a Dutch windmill—chosen as the emblem and world-wide trademark of the infamously immoral Moulin Rouge?—Town Talk.

WHEN DAISY CAME OUT

A writer for a New York paper who has been telling of Arthur Kemp's devotion to the Baroness von Buren, reports that this fascinating woman is now in her thirty-third year. If she looks no older, it is because she shares Lilian Russell's secret, for, in truth it is the Baroness von Buren in the neighborhood of her forty-third year. Nearly a quarter of a century has passed since the girl with the baby stare who was destined to achieve an international fame for her fascinations lifted herself from the rut of a workaday world while trimming hats and selling millinery in a Market street store in San Francisco. But Daisy Newman did not seek the limelight. She was a modest girl in those days, with no desire to accumulate a checkered past. She was also very pretty, and she had the feminine craving for frills and laces. One day she was arrested for stealing yards of ribbon from her employer. At the city prison she met "Bill" Hart, a police reporter of the Chronicle, who was dazzled by her beauty. He listened to her story, and he wrote it for the Chronicle in a most sympathetic vein, describing at great length the radiant charms of the bewitching prisoner. When Daisy Newman made her appearance in the police court the room was packed. Hart had aroused public interest in the unfortunate girl, and she aroused the interest of the jury with her baby stare. "Not guilty," was the verdict, and Daisy Newman went forth, a free woman and a wise one. During her brief experience in the shadow there had been an awakening. She trim-

med no more hats after that.—Town Talk.

A BARON AND A COUNT

The fact is, she didn't have to. Indeed, it wasn't long before the millinery shops of San Francisco were unable to do business with the stylish Daisy. She imported her hats for awhile, and finally went into the European market. She spent some time in Paris and then went to Berlin, where she met the Baron von Buren, whom she is said to have married. At any rate, she adopted the title of baroness, and returned with it to this city, registering at a first-class hotel and creating a great sensation by exhibiting herself in a series of superb gowns and flashing many gems. She was interviewed by a reporter through whom she sent a message to the working girls of San Francisco. It was to the effect that they should go to Europe and grow up with the nobility. "American women," she said, "are so much smarter than those of Europe, that they appeal to the continental bachelors. You don't have to buy a title. Heiresses do that, but the average heiress lacks worldly wisdom and nerve." Some years ago Baron von Buren disappeared, and a little later, the baroness became the protege of Count Elmer Bathyan, President of the Austro-Hungarian Jockey Club, who is a well known figure in the Austrian capital and at the different spas. Through him she acquired a coat of arms.—Town Talk.

SHE WASN'T IN THE SMART SET

The society girl is beginning to be overlooked by men in search of an affinity in this city as well as in New York, where love matches between millionaires and working girls are becoming quite common. It is appalling to think of what will happen if this sort of thing goes on. What right have society men to marry for love with a whole list of seasonable buds among the gilded girls still hanging on the family trees? What are "affinities" anyway, and what have they to do with marriage? Haven't we been taught from babyhood that marriage means keeping all the money in the best families? Last week Reddick Duperu, the stock broker and society man, who has been reported engaged to heiresses at various times, was married in a most informal way to Miss Anna Munro, and not one of the social gushers of the daily press shed any light on the identity of the bride. As her name was not to be found on either Ned Greenway's or Mrs. White's invitation list she was probably not considered worth exploitation. Yet she is a very charming young woman and has a great many friends in society. She was at one time cashier of the Woman's Exchange.—Town Talk.

A COVERT SNEER

The local dailies, in emulation of some of the saffron-hued journals of the East, have begun to refer to Miss Alice Roosevelt as "Princess Alice." This title was bestowed on the President's daughter because of its suggestion of imperialism and by way of a smash at the Administration. It is not to the credit of American journalism that it yields to its political prejudices to the extent of sneering at the daughter of the nation's Chief Executive. All papers that designate Miss Roosevelt as "Princess Alice" are not maliciously inspired, but whatsoever their motive, it cannot be justified.—Town Talk.

"ALICE ROOSEVELT BLUE," A FAD

It will be a case of blues with more than one girl this season, when she learns that all the latest costumes, including hats and hose, are of a decidedly bluish color. How disheartened she will be, if, in a moment of rashness, she has listened to the early predictions of fashion and ordered innumerable fluffy muslins and gowns of shrim-

mering silk, of rose or heliotrope hue. It will mean that either she must procure an entire new outfit or endure being called "unfashionable." Of course this suits the dressmakers and dealers in such materials, for no sooner does a style or color become in the least degree popular than they straightway look cross-eyed at it and rack their brains to conjure up something as yet undreamed of by society to take its place. The new shade is called Alice blue in honor of Miss Roosevelt, who has decided liking for it, and is between a baby blue and navy. To the girl with eyes to match it is exceedingly becoming.—Town Talk.

SHE CONTRIBUTED

Mrs. Will Crocker loaned her Millet "The Man with the Hoe" to the Portland exposition art gallery and also some of her other art treasures, and later on she will visit the fair before settling down for the season at Burlingame. She has just returned from Boston, where she placed her son, Will Jr., in the Groton preparatory school, which President Roosevelt's sons attend. Young Willie is destined for Yale.—Town Talk.

DANCING WOMEN IN SOCIETY

Several of our society dames have been taking dancing lessons this summer. The high kicking of Ethyl Hager and the fantastic stepping of Mrs. Jack Spreckels are said to have incited several women to terpsichorean achievements. One of the most flexible limbed women in society is a Jewish matron who is said to be able to dance all others off the boards, but she is not likely to give the public an exhibition of her skill even for charity. Her husband does not approve of such things.—Town Talk.

HE OWNS A RANCH NOW

Oakland's bavardes simply will not keep their eyes off Jack London. Now that the writer has bought a ranch near Glen Ellen, not far from where Charmion Kittredge resides with her aunt, Mrs. Eames, they insist that their prognostications about London's reprise into matrimony are based on solid facts. They say everything points to an engagement and that nothing would be more suitable. Miss Kittredge is not a frivolous society girl but she has contributed to magazines and is quite a studious literary worker. Her uncle formerly published the Overland Monthly.—Town Talk.

IN MEMORY OF HIS DOG

Oakland has a sort of combined Henry D. Cogswell and Andrew Carnegie in the person of Dr. E. H. Woolsey, who is to give a drinking fountain to the city in memory of his pug dog and dear est chum, Frankie Woolsey, still in the flesh. According to Dr. Woolsey, who is going to petition the City Council for permission to erect the drinking fountain, it is to be not only a spring of living water, but a delight to weary eyes. While it is not the intention of the clever physician to turn Oakland into a "Campo Santo," still he does contend that a life-sized figure of Frank, the well-beloved, will add eclat to any public park. The reason that a water fountain is chosen to commemorate Frankie is that, in spite of the example that has daily confronted him on the streets of his native city, the pug has resolutely continued to wear the white, unspotted ribbon of a total abstainer. The fountain is to furnish water to dog and man, and the principal stipulation Dr. Woolsey will make with the city authorities is that the statue of the faithful pug who is to be commemorated shall never be torn down and replaced by a more plebeian canine nor the figure of a faith less human being. There is one thing sure, Frankie Woolsey is

med no more hats after that.—Town Talk.

more loyal than many of his owner's friends. When his master, who lives at the Hotel Metropole, happens to be down town, all he has to do if he wishes his dog's company is to telephone to the hotel and ask the clerk to put Frank at the phone. Then he calls: "Hello, Frankie, is that you? Come right down to Dr. —'s office, Frank. Not my office, you understand, but Dr. —'s office. Now hurry up." In an incredibly short time the sagacious animal is at his side. Never once has Frankie made a mistake, which is perhaps a better record than that of some compounders known to Dr. Woolsey.—Wasp.

summer, when the Weeks will have an opportunity to greet their son's bride, and will give a big reception in her honor. The young woman is slender, piquant and beautiful, with the dreamy-eyed loveliness of the daughters of the South.—Wasp.

LOVE MAKING OPPORTUNITIES

Propinquity is responsible for many a happy marriage. Ovid tells us in his "Art of Love" that there is no place more conducive to throwing a couple into each other's way than the theater, and when an Oakland belle takes an active part in light opera the fate of the man who plays lover is sealed. That was what happened with Miss Frances Irish of Oakland and Mr. F. L. H. Hus of San Francisco. Being an Oakland entertainment it goes without saying that it was for the cause of charity. The young people found much to discuss—probably the condition of Fabiola patients. This is one of the occasions when every one in society across the bay "knew all about it," but even the cleverest people admit that they were not prepared to have the wedding take place on Thursday, as it did. Miss Irish was noted for disliking display, and ten to one it was her idea to dispense with a great deal of the fuss incident on a long engagement and fashionable wedding.

The groom is a son of Mrs. Frances Williamson and a brother of Mr. Willard Forsythe Williamson, whose wife is one of the handsomest and most vivacious young women in society. The Williamsons gave up their beautiful home in Piedmont last fall and moved to San Francisco, where they are building a costly residence on Broadway. When the bride comes to Oakland, where the young couple are to make their home, there will be no dearth of gay affairs in her honor.—Wasp.

AN OAKLAND LEADER

A picturesque cottage in Lake county has been taken by Mr. and Mrs. William Lynham Shiels, who, with the two little daughters of the house, and Mrs. Charles Bennett, Mrs. Shiels' mother, will

spend three or four months in the country. As Miss Elsie Bennett, Mrs. Shiels was considered one of the most beautiful young women in Oakland, where lovely girls are as thick as forest leaves. Since her marriage she has gained a reputation as successful hostess. Invitations are never declined for the luncheons, teas or dinners of this popular matron. Mrs. Shiels is a cousin of Mrs. Thomas H. Williams and of Miss Muriel Steele of San Francisco.—Wasp.

MEXICAN COURTSHIP

Very few American bridegrooms have had the unique experience that befell Mr. Walter Weeks, son of Mr. Geo. F. Weeks of Alameda, who married the Senorita Anna Maria Delgado, in Cuernavaca, Mexico, on June 15th. The young man wrote to his father that up to the day of his wedding he had never had a moment alone with his fiancee. And if he ventured to salute her slender fingers it was the most ardent caress that was permitted, and that freedom was, he said, laid down to the boldness of the all-conquering "American." A short time after the young woman's father, Don Pancho Francisco Delgado, had, through a third party, signified his willingness to accept Walter as a son-in-law should Mr. Weeks Sr. agree to the union, the same friend informed the Alamedan that he would be required to provide a chest filled with bridal finery for his future wife.

In his perplexity Walter wrote to his mother, who, woman-like, replied that he need not worry, as she would see to the fair one's "corbeille." Accordingly, the fripperies of the trousseau went from Alameda to Mexico, and were very much admired. The ceremony took place at the Catholic Church at half-past seven o'clock in the morning, in the presence of an august company. It was the intention of the young couple to visit Alameda during the

name of Rottanzi is and should always be held in grateful remembrance.

Now the theatre-goers are

ready to approve and applaud the

maker of city laws who will add

another story to the "no hat" ordi-

nance, and thereby obtain for

them another degree of comfort

and enjoyment. There is a loud,

clear call for another Rottanzi to

give us an ordinance that will keep

out the late-comer and keep in the

early-goer who spoil so many

first and last acts. Whoever re-

sponds to this public demand may

have still further honors if he will

add to this ordinance a clause that

will make it obligatory upon

theatrical managers to suppress

loud talkers and chatters after

proper complaint has been made

to them. Before the Rottanzi ordi-

nance the managers had power to

compel the removal of hats that

obstructed any seat-holder's view

of the stage, but they were too re-

gardful of the hat-wearer's feelings

to use that power save in rare in-

stances. Similarly they have now

the means of stopping talk that in-

terferes with any patron's enjoy-

ment of what he has paid for, just

as they have authority to prevent

selfish people from bustling in af-

ter the curtain is up and climbing

out before it is down, but they do

not pretend to do it. Give us

more legislation on the Rottanzi

plan, and the management will

quickly make their theatres what

most of their customers wish them

to be. Nobody is so silly as to

resent the action of a manager in

enforcing the Rottanzi ordinance,

and nobody would blame one who

carried out a law or laws such as

we suggest. Let the successor to

Rottanzi stand up.—News Letter.

horseback riding barely holding

its own, even a clairvoyant might

have realized that taking one's

car's auto would make for

supine flesh. But strange as

it may seem at first thought,

the women who spend most of their

time bubbling have conspicuously

reduced their weight.

Take Mrs. Will Taylor for ex-

ample. At one time her propor-

tions were anything but Hopkins-

esque. She gradually reached that

stage of plumpness which borders

on rotundity. And then she took

to the automobile and wonder of

wonder.

She attained that

blissfully slender state where one

scarcely casts a shadow.

Mrs. Rudolph Spreckels is another au-

tomobile enthusiast, and cross-coun-

try drives have had their effect on

her, for she is looking thinner than

in many years.

Miss Grace

Spreckels is another ardent</p